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## Weekly Almanac.

1849.	SUN	SUN	MOON	HIGH
	rise	set	rise	water
SATURDAY,	4 57	7 3	4 20	6 14
SUNDAY,	4 55	7 5	4 18	6 59
MONDAY,	4 55	7 4	4 30	7 44
TUESDAY,	4 54	7 8	4 26	8 30
WEDNESDAY,	4 53	7 9	4 19	9 17
THURSDAY,	4 52	8 10	4 9	10 14
FRIDAY,	4 51	8 9	10 55	10 52

FULL MOON 7th day, 2d hour, 27m morn.

## THE "TRIPODUM."

**William Newton's**  
SPACIOUS  
GROCERY ESTABLISHMENT,  
Old stand, (formerly 150) No. 98 and 100  
Thames-street, near number, opposite Ham-  
mond's Block.

CONSTANTLY ON HAND, AN EXTENSIVE  
—STOCK OF—

Choice Teas, Foreign Fruit, Wines,  
Segars and Groceries,

Selected expressly for FAMILY USE, which  
are offered for sale in quantities to suit pur-  
chasers at the very LOWEST prices.  
Goods sent to any part of the town free of  
expense. [Feb. 17]

**THOMAS COGESHALL**  
(SUCCESSOR TO SAMUEL T. HOPKINS.)  
Painter, Glazier, and Dealer in  
Paints, Oil, Glass, Potash, &c.

**SASHES & BLINDS,**  
—Constantly on Hand—  
AT THE OLD STAND 144 THAMES ST.  
NEWPORT, R. I.

**PAPERING,**  
Particularly attended to.  
March 17—4w.

**Purse Twist, Steel Beads,**  
**RINGS and TASSALS,**  
**Combs, Brushes, &c.**  
AT JAMES H. HAMMETT'S.  
Feb. 17, 1849.

New M. D'Laines,  
**New PRINTS,**  
**New ibbons,**  
**New Shawls,**  
**NEW BONNETS,**

ARE received and for sale at  
[March 24.] JAMES HAMMOND'S

**NOTION.**  
THE subscriber has moved his Soap and Can-  
dle establishment from the Stone Building  
on Broad street, to the building on SHERRMAN  
street, formerly the old meeting house, (fitted and  
used for a short time as a Soap House, by San-  
ford Bell),—where he has on hand

Hard and Soft Soap, Mould and Dye  
Candles, &c.,

of equal quality to any made in this State or  
elsewhere.  
Store keepers furnished at the lowest prices,  
and sent to them free of expense.

SILAS WARD.  
Newport, Dec. 23, 1848.—1f.

**Assessment**  
Providence Mutual Fire Insurance Com-  
pany.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS having  
ordered an assessment of One and a  
half per cent. on the premium notes in  
said Company's Office—notice is hereby  
given that the same will be received at the  
Counting Room of F. Lawton & Brothers,  
No. 34 Thames-st., until the 5th day of  
May, during usual business hours.

EDWARD W. LAWTON, Agent.  
Section 19 of the Charter provides  
that persons not paying their assessments  
in 30 days shall forfeit and pay a sum equal  
in amount to their assessment, and not pay-  
ing in 60 days more shall forfeit their in-  
surance. [April 7.]

**NEW BOOKS.**  
*Macaulay's England,*  
*Democracy in France,* by Guizot,  
*Madeline, (7 capital sins) by Sue,*  
*A man made of money, by Gerald,*  
*4 months among the Gold finders,*  
by Brooks.  
For sale at JAMES HAMMOND'S.  
April 7.

## [BY AUTHORITY.] Laws of the United States, PASSED AT THE SECOND SESSION OF THE THIRTIETH CONGRESS.

[PUBLIC—No. 32.]

AN ACT making appropriations for the support  
of the army for the year ending the thirtieth of  
June, one thousand eight hundred and fifty.  
Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Represen-  
tatives of the United States of America in Congress  
assembled, That the following sums be, and the  
same are hereby, appropriated, out of any money  
in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for  
the support of the army for the year ending the  
thirtieth of June, one thousand eight hundred  
and fifty:

For pay of the army, one million six hundred  
and thirty-five thousand five hundred and eighty-  
two dollars:

For commutation of officers' subsistence, five  
hundred and sixty-one thousand eight hundred  
dollars, including the additional ratings for com-  
missioned officers commanding 'arsenals' or 'ar-  
mies,' being separate and fixed or permanent  
'posts' of the army of the United States:

For commutation of forage for officers' horses,  
one hundred and four thousand seven hundred  
and thirty-five dollars:

For payment in lieu of clothing for officers' ser-  
vants, thirty-six thousand two hundred dollars:

For expenses of recruiting, thirty-eight thou-  
sand and fifty-two dollars:

For three months' extra pay to non-commis-  
sioned officers, musicians, and privates, on re-  
enlistment, ten thousand dollars:

For the regular supplies of the quartermaster's  
department, consisting of fuel, forage in kind for  
the authorized number of officers' horses, and for  
the horses, mules and oxen of the quartermaster's  
department, at the several military posts and sta-  
tions, and with the armies in the field, and for  
the horses of the first and second regiments of  
dragoons, the four companies of light artillery,  
and the regiment of mounted riflemen; of straw  
for soldiers' bedding, and of stationery, including  
company and other blank books for the army,  
certificates for discharged soldiers, blank forms  
for the pay and quartermaster's department, and  
for the printing of division and department or-  
ders, army regulations, five hundred thousand  
dollars:

For the incidental expenses of the quartermaster's  
department, consisting of postage on letters and  
packets received and sent by officers on public  
service; expenses of courts martial and courts of  
inquiry, including the additional compensation to  
judge advocates, recorders, members, and wit-  
nesses, while on that service, under the act of  
March sixteenth, eighteen hundred and two; ex-  
tra pay to soldiers employed in the erection of  
barracks, quarters, storehouses, and hospitals,  
the construction of roads, and other constant la-  
bor, under the direction of the quartermaster's  
department, for periods of not less than ten days,  
and the cost of animal march, including the cost of  
the frontier posts and armies in the field, of ex-  
penses to paymasters, other disbursing officers, and  
troops, where military escorts cannot be furnish-  
ed; expense of the internment of non-commis-  
sioned officers and soldiers, hire of laborers in the  
quartermaster's department; compensation of  
clerks to the officers of the quartermaster's de-  
partment; compensation to wagon and forage  
masters, authorized by the act of the fifth of  
July, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight; for the  
apprehension of deserters, and the expenses in-  
cidental to their pursuit; the various expenditures  
necessary to keep the first and second regiments  
of dragoons, the four companies of light artillery  
and the regiment of mounted riflemen, complete,  
including the purchase of travelling forges, black-  
smith's and shoeing tools, horse and mule shoes,  
hire of veterinary surgeons, medicines for  
horses and mules, two hundred and seventy-five  
thousand dollars:

For the purchase of horses required for the first  
and second regiments of dragoons, the four com-  
panies of light artillery, and the regiment of  
mounted riflemen, one hundred thousand dollars:

For constructing, repairing and enlarging bar-  
racks, quarters, hospitals, storehouses, stables,  
wharves and ways, at the several posts and army  
deposits; for temporary cantonments, gun-houses  
for the protection of cannon, including the neces-  
sary tools and materials for the objects enumera-  
ted, and for the authorized furniture for barrack  
rooms of non-commisssioned officers and soldiers;  
rent of quarters for officers, barracks and hospitals  
for troops, where there are no public build-  
ings for their accommodation; for storehouses  
for the safe keeping of military stores, and of  
grounds for summer cantonment and encamp-  
ments, three hundred thousand dollars:

For mileage, or the allowance made to officers  
for the transportation of themselves and baggage,  
when travelling on duty without troops, seventy-  
five thousand dollars:

For the transportation of the army, including  
the baggage of the troops when moving either by  
land or water; of clothing, camp and garrison e-  
quipage, and horse equipments, from the depots  
at Philadelphia and New York to the several  
posts and army depots; of subsistence, from the  
places of purchase and from the places of deliv-  
ery, under contract, to such places as the circum-  
stances of the service may require it to be sent;  
of ordnance, ordnance stores, and small arms,  
from the foundries and armories to the arsenals, for-  
tifications, frontier posts, and army depots; freights  
of horses, wagons, mules, oxen, cart, drays, ships,  
and other sea-going vessels, and boats, for the  
transportation of supplies and for garrison pur-  
poses; drayage and cartage at the several posts,  
hire of teamsters; transportation of funds for the  
pay and other disbursing departments; the ex-  
pense of sailing public transports on the various  
rivers, the Gulf of Mexico, and in the Atlantic and  
Pacific; and of procuring water at such posts as,  
from their situation, require it, seven hundred  
and fifty thousand dollars:

For medical and hospital departments, fifty-two  
thousand dollars:

For armament of fortifications, one hundred  
thousand dollars:

For purchase of ordnance, ordnance stores, and  
supplies, one hundred thousand dollars:

For current expenses of ordnance service, one  
hundred thousand dollars:

For manufacture of arms at the national arm-  
ories, three hundred and sixty thousand dollars:

For the purchase of Colt's revolving pistols, if  
the Secretary of War should deem it advisable  
and proper, fifty thousand dollars:

For repairs and improvements, and new ma-  
chinery at the Harper's Ferry armory, sixty-two  
thousand six hundred and twenty dollars:

For repairs and improvements, and new ma-  
chinery at the Springfield armory, eighty-two  
thousand five hundred dollars:

For purchase of a site for magazine at St. Louis  
arsenal, at a suitable point without the city, five  
thousand dollars:

For surveys in reference to the military defen-  
se of the frontier, inland and Atlantic, ten thou-  
sand dollars:

For the purchase of land adjoining the Frank-  
fort arsenal, Pennsylvania, twenty thousand dol-  
lars:

For erecting suitable buildings and machinery  
for the manufacture of percussion caps at the  
same place, fifteen thousand dollars:

To defray the expense of compiling, arranging,  
publishing and supervising the publication of a  
new edition of the Ordnance Manual, of fifteen  
hundred copies, six thousand dollars:

To defray the expenses of Topographical (—)  
surveys of routes from the valley of the Mis-  
sissippi to the Pacific ocean, fifty thousand dol-  
lars:

To provide for the payment for secret services  
rendered to the United States in the war with  
Mexico, and to be expended under the direction  
of the President of the United States, fifty thou-  
sand dollars:

For carrying into effect the treaty of the Uni-  
ted States with the Stockbridge tribe of Indians  
of the twenty-fourth November, eighteen hun-  
dred and forty-eight, the sum of fifty-two thou-  
sand eight hundred and four dollars eighty-five  
cents:

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That the mili-  
tary stockkeepers at Watertown arsenal, Mass-  
achusetts, be allowed from the first day of Octo-  
ber, eighteen hundred and forty-two, the same  
compensation as is authorized by the act of the  
twenty-third August, eighteen hundred and  
forty-two, to be paid to the stockkeepers at the  
Washington, Pittsburg, and Waterville arsenals;  
and that there be paid to military stockkeeper  
T. A. Webster twenty dollars per month, for and  
during the time he has performed the duties of  
commissary and assistant commissary of subsis-  
tence at said arsenal.

Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, That any non-  
commissioned officer, musician, or private in the  
company of sappers and miners, and pontoniers,  
raised by the act of May ninth, eighteen hundred  
and forty-eight, who served in said company in  
the war with Mexico, shall, on application, be en-  
titled to receive an honorable discharge from the  
service of the United States, and stand as if they  
had served out their respective terms.

ROBT. C. WINTHROP,  
Speaker of the House of Representatives.  
G. M. DALLAS,  
Vice President of the United States, and  
President of the Senate.

Approved March 2, 1849.

JAMES K. POLK.

## NEW GOODS.

**SAMUEL BARKER,**  
163 THAMES ST.,

OFFERS for sale his Spring supply  
of CLOTHES, just received, and selected  
by himself in New York, on the best  
possible terms; he invites the attention of his  
customers and all others in want of good articles,  
he employs no trumpeters, and does not pretend to  
sell Goods for less than cost, but will sell every ar-  
ticle at as small advance as is possible to live by;  
every article is warranted to answer the recom-  
mendation.

Newport, April 21—3w.

## The nimble niner beats the slow shilling.

"A PENNY SAVED IS A PENNY EARNED."

BY HAVING made arrangements which have  
materially lessened our expenses in procuring our  
goods from New York and Boston, we now offer  
the FLAG OF OUR UNION, one of the most  
popular papers in America, for 1 cent per copy.  
Boston Edition, 5 cents; New York Edition, 1 cent.  
New York daily Herald, 2 cents. Other papers  
in proportion, at Goff's Book store, and News-  
paper Depot, 119 Thames street, next north of  
Ruler's Confectionery. April 21.

## Reasonable Dry Goods.

**JAMES H. READ,**

29 & 31 Cheapside, Providence, R.I.

IS weekly receiving from New York package  
sales, and other sources, a large assortment  
of fresh goods, among which is a large supply of  
English, French, German & American BROAD-  
CLOTHS, DOE SKINS and CASSIMERES; a  
large assortment of the newest styles of fancy  
Cassimeres, fancy silk and satin Vests, Coats,  
Cassimerettes, Merino Cassimeres, Tweeds, French  
Linen, white & fancy colored Drills, Gaudes, &c.,  
and all kinds of Summer stuffs. Also, every  
description of Tailor's trimmings; all of which  
are offered at terms not less favorable than those  
of any market.

Providence, April 20, 1849.—3w.

## Smoke House.

THE Subscribers have in the rear of their Store,  
No. 100 Thames street, a large and commodi-  
ous Brick Smoke House. Persons wishing to  
have their Hams smoked in good style, will please  
send them to JOHN W. DAVIS & SON,  
Newport, Nov. 18.

## FOR SALE,

ALL the Lows late belonging to Nathan Stan-  
ton, situated near the Wind Mills, containing  
about 23 acres. Those wishing to purchase will  
call at No. 10 Market square.

GILBERT STANTON, Assignee  
JOSEPH STANTON, }  
Newport, April 7, 1849.—1f.

## Perfumery & Cosmetics.

A LARGE assortment of Handkerchief ex-  
tracts, Toilet Soaps, Toilet Balls, Lilly White,  
at very low prices, at K. J. TAYLOR'S.  
March 24.

## JUST PUBLISHED.

TRANSCENDENTAL PHILOSOPHY OF  
SPACE AND TIME, by G. A. HAMMETT, M. D.  
For sale at the Bookstores of C. E. Hammett  
Jr., and W. A. Barber.  
March 17.

DR. WILEY'S COUGH CANDY has been  
long and favorably known as an invaluable  
remedy for Coughs, Colds, and all diseases arising  
from these complaints.

Sold by R. J. TAYLOR.  
Newport, Jan. 13, 1849.

## HOSIERY and GLOVES.

Linen Hdkfs, Woolen, Worsted, Linen & Cotton

## TABLE COVERS.

For sale at J. H. HAMMETT'S.

## SELECTED POETRY.

From *Horn's Rail Road Gazette.*

### THE INDIAN AND THE RAIL-CARR.

BY ANNA E. SHELLEIGH.

What is this monstrous zigzag trail,  
Its windows crowded with faces pale;  
With chimneys of fire and smoke billows,  
Like columns of the red man's smoke?  
See! it comes dashing—chattering through  
The cavern where rock and forest grow:  
The deer and the wolf before it fly,  
And away from its hurrying foot horse-bieing!  
The cow that quietly feeds by the way,  
Where the white man rides in carriage gay,  
Gallops away in terrible fright.  
As soon as the monster appears in sight.  
"Stop thy speed, thou huge strange thing:  
And let the Indian his arrow fling:  
Could I but pierce thy long dark side,  
I'd put an end to thy magic ride!"  
But hark! it speaks! and the whistle shrill!  
The startled spirit with terrors fill!  
"It's the chief's voice," the red man cries,  
"And this is the car he rides in the skies."  
When behind the big black cloud he speaks,  
And the heaven's with forked lightning strokes,  
He has come to the earth in his chariot of fire,  
And calls his children in accents dire.  
To prepare for his presence, to go with him there  
In the fiery car through the boundless air,  
Where the forest is filled with the antlered deer,  
And the Indian shall hunt with bow and spear,  
No longer the white man's power to fear.

## SELECTED TALE.

From the *Democratic Review.*

### The old Man with a young Wife.

TRANSLATED FROM THE FRENCH.

It was a little after midnight, when M. de  
Langeais entered his wife's apartment.  
'You here! at this hour!' exclaimed  
Madame de Langeais, with astonishment  
mingled with terror; 'are you ill, sir?'  
'I have never felt better,' replied M. de  
Langeais.  
'Have you received any unpleasant  
news, then?' said the young dame.  
'No, madam, fortunately I have no ill  
news; besides, you know that if I had, my  
affection for you would induce me to con-  
ceal it.'

As he spoke, M. de Langeais seated  
himself in an arm-chair, and, by a sign, di-  
rected his wife's waiting-maid to withdraw.  
M. de Langeais had passed his sixtieth  
year, and although his hair was beginning to  
show somewhat infirm in health, but still active  
and sprightly, intelligent and kind; his  
small eyes had not yet lost the fire of youth,  
and it was with a shade of irony, quite  
common with him, that he said to his wife—  
'Perhaps I disturb you, madam! I have  
chosen rather an untimely moment to en-  
ter your apartment; pardon me—you have  
been so seriously occupied during the day,  
that I could not come more opportunely.'

Madame de Langeais did not reply; at  
her husband's request, she took a seat near  
him, turning red and pale alternately, a cir-  
cumstance which M. de Langeais did not  
fail to remark; and as he contemplated the  
young and beautiful face before him, as he  
remembered his age and the advanced hour  
of the night, he understood, as he thought,  
the cause of Madame de Langeais' surprise  
and disquietude.

'I ask but an hour, madame—an hour  
of conversation; no more,' he hastened to  
say, with kindness. 'You are twenty-six  
years of age, madame,' he added, 'and I  
might easily be your grandfather; my mar-  
riage with you, ridiculous in the eyes of  
the world, is not so in the opinion of those  
who are acquainted with the motives which  
led to it; and you know them better than  
any one else, Clemence.'

'Oh, sir!' murmured the young wife,  
casting down her eyes. 'I have never ut-  
tered a complaint of regret.'

'Ah! I know it, my friend,' cried the  
old man; 'neither is there the slightest re-  
pentance intended by my words; you are the  
best creature I have ever known, and if I  
recall these remembrances, it is because  
they are sweet and precious to me. It is  
now ten years—you were then scarcely six-  
teen—when your father first spoke to you  
of espousing me; he was, at that time, suf-  
fering under the fatal malady to which he  
fell a victim, and his circumstances were  
greatly embarrassed; you were ignorant of  
these two facts, and you learn them, for the  
first time, to-day—is it not so, madam?'  
'How!' said Clemence, 'my father not  
rich?'  
'He left you nothing but some debts  
which I have discharged,' said M. de Lan-  
geais, 'and still, at your father's proposal  
you leaped for joy—you seemed delighted  
at the thoughts of espousing a man, whom  
you had known from childhood, and whom  
you called your good friend. I had an in-  
terview with you then. I told you that I  
loved you with all my heart, and that I  
should be delighted to give you my name;  
but at the same time, I placed before your  
eyes the certificate of my baptism, showing  
you how much older I was, even than your  
father; and as you were ignorant of your  
position—as you thought you were  
still rich, it was freely, and of your own  
choice, that you became my wife. Your  
father felt that he was near his end, and, in  
giving you to me, he left this world without  
anxiety for his only child; you loved me  
and you were happy in a marriage, which  
would have alarmed any other maiden, even  
less beautiful and less young than you were  
then. I looked upon you with an emotion  
which would have terrified me, if I had not  
been convinced of your friendship and love.

To these circumstances united, Clemence,  
I owe ten years of happiness, the ten most  
pleasant years of my life.'

'Ah, sir, what is the matter?' cried  
Madame de Langeais, in great agitation;  
'why thus recall the past? I deny nothing,  
sir, I remember all—'

'Permit me, madame,' interposed the  
husband, 'it is to thank you for your love,  
that I have come here; nay, it is to excuse  
myself for a fault,' he added with a slight  
smile of benevolence.

'You, sir—you culpable towards me?—  
Ah, no, no, sir! never!'

'Yes, culpable towards you, madam;  
and your entire forgetfulness of your own  
interests is the greatest proof of it. I am  
rich, and when your father gave you to me,  
it was that this wealth might one day revert  
to you; this is the avowed or tacit condi-  
tion of every marriage between a young  
girl and an old man. I have engaged to  
enrich you, not by any contract—not by  
any promise—for your father was a man of  
too much delicacy to demand anything like  
that—but I am pledged to do so by honor.  
Well, this condition has, until yesterday,  
been left unfulfilled, and what would have  
become of you if death had suddenly sur-  
prised me? My entire family would have  
seized upon my inheritance, and, as in our  
marriage contract, I had assigned you no  
dowry, they would have driven you from  
this mansion—they would have despoiled  
you of my lands—of my personal property  
—of your jewels even. De Langeais' wid-  
ow, poor and destitute, would have sued  
in vain for alimony. This is my crime,  
madam—a crime which your natural  
generosity has prevented you from suspecting,  
but of which I have not the less been guilty.'

M. de Langeais then drew from his pocket  
a sealed paper, and placed it in his wife's  
hands.

'There, madam,' he said, 'that is for  
you; it is my will—let not this word alarm  
you—such a precaution has never yet caused  
the death of a testator. I appoint you  
my sole heiress; in the first place because  
it is my duty, as I have just told you; next,  
because even if I owed you nothing—even  
if you were wealthy in your own right, I  
would still give this mark of esteem and  
gratitude; for you love me, and I love none  
but you in the world.'

M. de Langeais rose, approached his  
wife, and, taking her hand, he kissed it  
tenderly, and then he turned to the door, and  
said—

'What is the matter, madam?' exclaim-  
ed he. 'are you ill?'  
The old man was about to touch the bell  
cord; his wife prevented him, and cast  
herself at his feet.

'Ah, sir,' she exclaimed, 'you do not  
know to whom you have been speaking—I  
merit neither your praises nor your ben-  
efits. I am false to you, sir; I dishonor  
you. Had you not entered my chamber  
this night my good angel would have aban-  
doned me!'

'What say you? Rise, madam, I pray  
you!'

Madame de Langeais rose, then took the  
will, and tore it to pieces.

'I wish nothing, sir; I deserve nothing,'  
she said.

'Pray tell me what you mean,' said the  
old man in astonishment.  
'I love another!' faltered the wife, 'and  
this night would have accomplished my ruin  
had not heaven directed your mind to  
save me. The object of my affection had  
my consent to an interview after you had  
retired; but now I am overwhelmed with  
your goodness! I cannot look in your  
face again—never, never. And now, sir,  
drive me from your presence; banish me  
from your house; to whatever condition  
you may reduce me—in whatever place  
you may command me to go and conceal  
my fault, I will obey without a murmur.'

'There are husbands who think they can  
pardon without shame, a faithless wife;  
your part is easier, sir, if you are willing to  
be indulgent; I am innocent; my heart  
alone has yielded, my head alone has been  
feeble. You see, sir, my candor should be  
a guarantee to you; where is the woman  
who confesses a weakness of which she in-  
tends to be guilty?'  
M. de Langeais turned his eyes toward  
the clock, and then pulled the cord of the  
bell. The waiting maid entered.

'A person,' he said, 'is to pay a visit to  
Madame de Langeais to night, and you  
were to admit him. When he comes you  
will lead him in.'

'Yes, sir.'

'What mean you, sir?' cried the young  
wife, when her waiting maid had left the  
apartment. 'Do you intend to expose your  
life, or prolong my shame and my torture?'  
'Neither the one nor the other, madam.'

'Ah, sir, I implore you, do not cause me  
to die with shame and grief; spare  
your wife, culpable as she may be! Re-  
flect, sir, that I bear your name; that all  
this may be buried in the most profound  
forgetfulness, if you are willing. I will  
never see this man again, I no longer love  
him, sir, I assure you!'

'Pardon me, madam, you love him still;  
you know that he is young—handsome; you  
know that he is enamored, and you believe  
him devoted. You love him still, I say.'

'Oh, sir, spare me! do not permit me  
ever to see him again!'

'You need not see him, madam,' replied  
her husband; 'you can pass into my apart-  
ment or conceal yourself in this cabinet—  
Where can he hear all.'

Madame de Langeais' head sunk upon

her bosom, and she entered the cabinet the  
door of which she left partly open, so that  
she could hear and even see all that passed.  
The tingle of the clock was still vibrating  
in the air, when a young man rushed into  
the apartment, with all the eagerness of a  
happy lover, who at last reaches the goal of  
his wishes, and whose first movement is to  
cast himself at the feet of the beauty who  
has been enraptured by his passion and his  
boldness; he was near seizing the hand of  
M. de Langeais to bring it to his lips; no  
sooner had he perceived his error, than he  
started backward.

'Sir, I protest—' said the disappointed  
gallant.

'It is useless to deny anything, sir; I  
know all; my wife is no longer here; I  
have removed her from your presence; and  
this is very natural; that which is less so  
is, that I receive you in her place



## BY THE MAIL.

**THE RIOT AT MONTREAL.**—Destruction of the Parliament Buildings.—Immediately after the intelligence was received that the Governor had signed the rebellion bill, the populace became uncontrollable. Persons had been commissioned to alarm the people by ringing the bells, &c.

Several thousand persons gathered and rushed to the Parliament building, where the Assembly was in session. The rioters smashed every thing to atoms, and forced the members to leave.

It was soon discovered that the buildings had been fired in a hundred places, and in half an hour they were in a broad sheet of flame. All the contents were destroyed, including the archives and records of the colonies for several hundred years. The military was called out. The population determined to uphold the rioters. Guards were placed over the houses of the Ministers. No lives were lost, though Sir Allan McNab, Hon. W. Badgley, and G. W. Turner, one of the editors of the Montreal Courier, were cut out of the Parliament house with axes.

A message was sent to the Governor, who, with his family, immediately came to town. One hundred and forty-eight warrants were issued for the arrest of the principal rioters, among whom were Montgomery, Mc Howard, and F. Smith.

The St. Andrew Society met to expel Lord Elgin, who was a patron.

The whole garrison was under arms.—A memorial to his Excellency Benjamin Dunbar, praying him to order the troops to remain at their quarters, and leave the people to settle their affairs, was in course of signature, and would be sent with a deputation to Lord Elgin.

The French inhabitants were enrolling themselves as a body guard to protect Lord Elgin. It was rumored that the jail would be burned.

Despatches have been sent by telegraph to the Upper Provinces. The government attempted to obtain possession of the telegraph, but were denied.

**THE HON. T. B. KING,** arrived at Savannah on Saturday evening last, in the Southern steamer, and took his departure the next day in the steamship *Falcon* for Chagres. We understand that the proprietors of the lines of Atlantic and Pacific Ocean steamships tendered to Mr. King, a passage to San Francisco during the recess of Congress, to afford him an opportunity of examining personally the route across the Isthmus of Panama, and the general condition of the great thoroughfare already established, mainly through his enlightened and patriotic course as member and chairman of the Naval Committee. Mr. K. expects to return home in time to take his seat at the opening of the next Congress, and we doubt not our country will derive great advantage from the valuable information on our new and extensive possessions on the Pacific coast.—*Savannah Republic*.

**FROM ST. DOMINGO,** by an arrival at New York, dates have been received to the 13th ult. President Solouque was within sixteen miles of the city, with an army of 30,000 well disciplined troops. He had taken all the towns on his march, and was expected to attack the city in a day or two. The inhabitants were taking every chance to leave, and a number of British vessels were crowded with refugees. A large quantity of money and valuable property was placed in the houses of the American and British Consuls. The city was almost entirely deserted by women and children, and no doubt it is by this time in possession of Solouque, from whose character it is supposed much blood has been shed.

**VESSEL WRECKED BY A WHALE.**—A letter from Nicaragua says:—

We had quite a singular loss of a brig called the *Frederic*, Capt. Spisola, off Puerto Anna, Nicaragua, the other day. On the 4th of July he sailed from Rialgo, and when he had made four days' sail, standing about 60 leagues from off this point, a whale came with tremendous force against the keel, carrying it away and several planks—and of course the water began to fill the vessel immediately. The captain, to save her, began to throw out her cargo, but all to no purpose; and after a fruitless attempt of some twenty hours, he was obliged to abandon her. Vessel and cargo a total loss. She had a cargo of near \$40,000, belonging principally to the merchants of San Miguel. She was loaded with indigo and hides, and bound for Lima, where she was owned; and I am under the impression that nothing was insured, owing to the fact that we have no way of insuring on this coast.

**LARGE CARGO.**—The ship *Constellation*, Luce, for Liverpool. This mammoth packet (before noticed in our columns) leaves our port this morning, on her first voyage for Liverpool, with the following enormous cargo, viz:—Corn, 37,463 bushels; wheat, 8000 do; cotton, 525 bales; flour, 1697 brls; potash, 53 do; pork 526 do; beef, 180 tcs.; bread, 190 brls.; rosin, 541 do; cedar, 100 logs; bacon 332 bales; bacon, 111 boxes; bacon, 41 casks; hams, 189 do; cheese, 623 boxes; clocks, 80 do; staves, No. 5000; gun stocks, 2000; fine goods, 16 pkgs. The great bulk of this cargo, it will be observed, is composed of heavy goods, the dead weight of which is about 2000 tons, and equal to in bulk to 19,000 brls.; the ship, however, is not full, her owners not wishing to make her draught greater than 23 feet, which she now draws.

**N. Y. Shipping List.**

The *Piscataquis Observer* says.—A large fat Bear was killed in Dover (Me.) town on Tuesday last. He had been committing depredations in the way of backing sheep for some time. A party turned out consisting of fifty or sixty persons, who chased and surrounded him in a swamp; he was fired at and killed. He weighed, when dressed, 293 pounds.

**BURNING OF ERBEN'S ORGAN FACTORY.**—About half past eight o'clock last evening, a fire broke out in this building, which is situated in Centre street, opposite the Gas House. The fire seemed to start in several points, and it is supposed, from that and other circumstances to have been the work of an incendiary. There were nearly thirty organs of different sizes in the shop, all valued at about \$30,000, and about \$17,000 were insured. The office of the Gas Company was injured somewhat by it.—This is the third time that Mr. Erben has been burnt out.—*New York Ecce Post*.

A letter to the *New York Express*, dated Binghamton, New York, April 30th, says:—"A Mr. Houghtaling, of very intemperate habits, was plowing in company with a young son, only eight years of age, and overcome by intoxication, unable to proceed with his work, laid himself down in the furrow and went to sleep. This young son, seeing his father's helpless condition, took the team from the plough, and driving them to the barn, unharnessed them and then went to the house, where he obtained a sharp axe, and proceeded directly to the spot where his father lay, and absolutely chopped his head off, and as he tells the story, struck the headless trunk a blow which threw it several feet from him. The reason he assigns for the horrid deed is that his father was a drunken scamp, and that the day previous he had chastised him when intoxicated.

**WASHINGTON GOODE.**—Mr. Wendell Phillips and other distinguished gentlemen have appeared before the standing committee of the Executive Council, this week, in support of the petitions for the commutation of the sentence of Washington Goode, now under sentence of death for murder. We are informed that the Committee could find no extenuating circumstances in the case; and therefore the Council do not advise the Governor to commute his sentence. He is to be hanged on the 25th of May.—*Salem Gazette*.

**LIVING IN THE COUNTRY.**—The rush to the country this season is beyond all precedent. At this early period, every thing in the shape of a tenement is taken up at advanced rents, and the demand for boarding-houses on the line of the different railroad routes is much beyond the supply. Houses are disposed of as fast as built, and where a year or two ago, only a few scattered tenements appeared, now stands a thickly clustered village. It is somewhat amusing, however, to witness the agricultural ardor of some of these new made country gentlemen, especially when they exhibit themselves to the passing strangers, diligently employed with hoe in hand, planting potatoes, &c. with their embroidered dressing gowns floating in the wind.

**TURTLE AND LONG LIFE.**—I have a good sized turtle, for sale, which has lived in the world. An old man recently applied to the Marina here for a license to fish, his age being 110. He was hale, vigorous, in full possession of his faculties, he intends to use the privilege of his license for at least twenty years longer. He declares that, for the last quarter of a century, he has lived upon turtle.

*Havana Cor. N. Y. Evening Post.*

**FIRE.**—The baggage car on the Oswego road took fire on Saturday, and was, with its contents, destroyed. It originated from the sparks of the engine, and all endeavors to extinguish the flames proved fruitless. But a small portion of the baggage was saved and that in a damaged state. The mail bag was so much burned that the letters and packages looked like cinders. Several letters were so much injured that their source or destination could not be discerned.

Near Big-bone Spring, in Boone county, about midnight on Saturday week, Mr. Richard Johnston and wife were aroused by fire in their dwelling. Seeing, as they supposed, that it was in a remote room, they hastened thither to save some of the furniture, leaving their two children, a little girl and infant son, asleep. They returned in a few minutes and found to their horror that the room in which the children were lying was all on fire. Mr. Johnston burst open the door and was thrown backward by the expansion of the rarefied air. His wife rushed forward and fell over him into the flames. He dragged her out much burnt. But the children were inaccessible; and the parents then appeared in their agony to have lost all their self-possession.—When the first neighbor, a relative, arrived, he found her standing stupefied holding on to the garden fence, which was on fire—her night-gown all burnt off except the neck, which was burning. He extinguished the fire and laid her on the grass, and then hastened in search of her husband, whom he found near the spring rolling on the ground, and considerably burnt. She is hardly expected to survive; he is considered out of danger.

The large sawing and planing factory of B. & E. Taylor was totally destroyed by fire at Hartford, Conn., on Thursday afternoon. Loss estimated at \$10,000; insurance \$4000.

Steamer *Pike*, from Cincinnati for New Orleans, was burnt at Point Coupee, with all the cargo, and Col. Anthony Butler, of Texas, a passenger, was lost.

**RATS.**—Rats.—Those mischievous quadrupeds, the rats, must have a special fondness for the Cochituate water. On Wednesday last the water was introduced into the Old State House, and on Saturday a leak was discovered. On examination, it was ascertained that the rats had been nibbling at the lead pipe till they had eaten it fairly through, so that it has been necessary to re-place a portion of it. If any of the water takers should find themselves suddenly inundated with water, it would be well to ascertain whether the mischief is not attributable to rats, and not to pipe layers.—*Boston Atlas*.

**MRS. ADAMS' HEALTH.**—Letters from this city made it known through the newspapers, two or three weeks ago, that the venerable and respected Mrs. John Quincy Adams had suffered a paralytic attack of such severity as at the time to occasion her family great anxiety. We are glad to be able to state, for the satisfaction of her numerous friends, that she has much recovered since the occurrence of the attack, and, though not yet able to rise, is gradually improving in strength. We embrace the occasion also to say, in reference to some erroneous statements which we observe in letters from this city, regarding the Lady of the President, that the health of that lady (for a year or two past, somewhat impaired) is at present firmer than it has before been since her arrival at Washington.—*National Intelligencer*.

**MONSTER APPLE TREES.**—There is an apple tree on the estate of Mr. Joseph Briggs, on Federal Hill, in the town of Dedham, supposed to be about 100 years old, which measures thirteen feet and a half in circumference one foot from the ground. Its branches cover an area of about sixty feet in diameter. This tree is second only to that in Duxbury, which is sixteen feet in diameter a foot or two above the surface of the ground, is over 100 years old, and bore in one year fruit which made ten barrels of cider, in addition to thirty barrels of apples put in the cellar.

**CURIOUS CHANGE.**—A spruce looking fellow named George Durdan, 25 years old, entered a complaint against his landlady, a buxom widow of 45, named Jane Degroot, for feloniously detaining a ring valued at ten dollars. Mrs. Degroot came up and stated that the foolish fellow owed her over thirty dollars for board—that he attempted to make love to her, offering his heart and hand as a convenient way to pay up the old scores, and provide for the future; that he gave her the ring in question as a pledge of his young and ardent affection—and finally, when he found he could not "come it" on that figure, he demanded his ring back. Mrs. Degroot said she was willing to give up the ring whenever Durdan paid his board bill. The magistrate, after giving the silly youth a good lecture, told him he should not interfere. His only remedy would therefore be a suit at law.

**A BEGGAR'S CRUTCH AND GREAT COAT.**—A short time ago, says the *Birmingham Mercury*, an old beggar, a resident of Dudley, "shuffled off this mortal coil," and with it an old crutch and a great coat, which he left to his two daughters. After the old man's decease, the cast off garment and the crutch were thrown one side and almost forgotten, till one day the crutch was called into requisition to punish a refractory cow, which had broken into a garden when lo! the handle came off, and 350 sovereigns were found enclosed. The other daughter, hearing of this golden shower, hastened home, and examined the great coat left by the old man, when, much to her astonishment and delight, a similar number of sovereigns were found stitched in old rags in the collar and waist of the cast off garment. The daughters had not the slightest idea that the old man, who had lived in a most penurious manner, had ever possessed such a sum of money as they now equally inherit.

**THE MURDER OF BARONNE-ST. NEW ORLEANS.**—Captain Joseph Bradley, the person who a few weeks ago was the principal actor in the bloody murder on Baronne St. when Fanny Young was killed, was yesterday brought before Recorder Baldwin for examination. The accused, with much coolness and apparent indifference, pleaded not guilty. His demeanor in Court was that of a hardened, reckless man, and conveyed the idea of either great obstinacy, or of a total ignorance of his perilous situation.—*N. O. Bee, 5th*.

**DR. McNAB,** who was held to bail in \$3000 to appear at the Court at Amherst, N. H., last week, on a charge of causing the death of Miss Furber of Manchester, did not make his appearance. His bonds were declared forfeited. He is understood to have gone to California. Ingalls, charged with being an accessory in the death, appeared, and his trial was postponed till October. The reader will remember this as the abortion case which made so much talk at the time in the Boston papers.

*Lowell Courier.*

**DEATH OF DR. ROBERTS.**—The *Syracuse Daily Star* and *Reveille* announce the death of this highly promising young physician. His complaint is said to have been erysipelas of the head, after an illness of two days. The *Star* says:—"We learn that Dr. Roberts' death was occasioned by touching a pimple on his forehead, which was bleeding, with some matter from a vaccine scab which he had just removed from the arm of a child. The poison appeared to operate instantly, as in a few hours he was delirious."

**THE CHOLERA.**—The *St. Martinsville (La.) Gazette* ascribes the prevalence of cholera in Attakapas to the vast number of dead cattle lying unburied in the prairies. This mortality is attributed to the drought, by which the ponds are dried up, and the cattle, thus deprived of water die in great numbers. It is no uncommon sight to see from fifty to a hundred dead cattle on the road to Opelousas.

**CHOLERA AT PITTSBURGH.**—It is officially announced that the cholera exists at Pittsburgh. The *Journal* of the 27th says:—"The cases have mostly occurred on board the steamboats." People should not take alarm from the announcement.

*Boston Post.*

**ANOTHER.**—At the recent session of the Green county circuit, Aaron Van Dusen recovered \$700 damages against Corrydon Crau, for the seduction of his daughter, Ann Dusen. All the parties resided at Greenville.

**NOBLE BEQUESTS.**—We learn from the *Advertiser* that the late Henry Todd, of this city, has, by his last will, after making abundant provision for his family connections, given \$5000 to the Massachusetts General Hospital, the interest of which is forever to go towards furnishing free beds (in addition to those now maintained by that noble charity) for those whose circumstances may require them. To the Boston Asylum and Farm School for indigent boys, he left a legacy of \$3000. To the Boston Children's Friend Society, he gave \$2000. The rest of his estate, amounting, probably, to some \$10,000, he bequeathed to the Board of Education, for the benefit of the Massachusetts Normal Schools, in which he took a deep interest.—*Boston Journal*.

**IMPORTANT TO MERCHANTS AND BANKERS.**—The Legislature of Pennsylvania has recently passed a law, which provides that want of notice of protest or demand of payment, shall be no defence to the endorser or acceptor of a draft, unless the names and residences of the respective parties are legally and distinctly set forth.

**ACCIDENT.**—Mr. Darling, overseer of the weave shop in the Massasoit Mill, Fall River, met with a shocking accident on Thursday, the particulars, as far as we have learned them, are as follows:—The belt having got off the drum, Mr. Darling put his hand up to replace it, and was caught by the right arm, and carried twice around the shaft, mangle and breaking his arm in a shocking manner, both above and below the elbow. When the engine was stopped, Mr. D. was suspended to the wall. He was able to walk home, where the arm was amputated below the elbow, and he is now doing well.

**FORGIVE AND FORGET.**—An interesting circumstance has just come to our knowledge, which speaks well for honorable Senators concerned. A difference of feeling was created a year or two ago, which broke friendship between Mr. Webster, of Massachusetts and Mr. Dickinson of New York, in relation to a deficit in the public funds in Mr. Webster's department when Secretary of State; alleged by Mr. C. Ingersoll of the House, and declared in the Senate by Mr. Dickinson. It is well known that Mr. Webster triumphantly vindicated himself from the charge, much to the chagrin and mortification of his accusers. The Senators have not spoken to each other since. A few days ago a visiting card was received by Mr. W. from Mr. D. Mr. W. delivered the card to an officer of the Senate, with instructions to see Mr. D. and ask him if the card was sent by his order; and if so, to return his own card, and say to him that as soon as he (Mr. W.) should return from Boston, he would extend his hand in friendship; but if not, to return the card. The message was delivered to Mr. D., who said that the card was sent by his order; but that at the time of its delivery he was so closely cornered by Mr. W. that he saw no other way but to fight it out.—The difficulty is therefore settled, and Mr. W. on his return, will meet Mr. D. with the hand of friendship.

*Montpelier (Vt.) Messenger.*

**IMMIGRANTS.**—The statement made by the Rev. Mr. King of Ireland, on his tour through the United States, a year since, that, "the next year immigrants from the old country would flock to us in such numbers as to make us forget that we ever had any before," seems to be rapidly becoming verified. In the *New York papers* of last evening, we find the record of no less than 24 vessels, mostly foreign, and laden with passengers. There are also several vessels whose passengers are not given.

Our own city is also receiving its full proportion of these passengers. Since the commencement of last week, 14 vessels have arrived here loaded with passengers, bringing some 2500 immigrants besides a large number who have arrived in British schooners from the provinces. At the last accounts from Ireland there were large numbers at the different seaports awaiting conveyance to this country, and it is probable that for the next few months our seaports will be crowded with them.

*Boston Journal.*

**MILLERISM NOT DEAD.**—One of the victims of this delusion in this city has given away to entire strangers, and casual passers by, his whole stock in trade, which consisted of a very good assortment of tobacco and segars, and other articles usually retailed by persons engaged in that business.—Under the impression that the last trumpet was about to be sounded, and that he was on the eve of being summoned by the angel Gabriel to give an account of deeds done in the flesh, he thus recklessly disposed of the accumulation of years of industry and toil, and has left himself and his family almost in a state of destitution.

*Brooklyn N. Y. Advertiser.*

**BISHOP DOANE,** of New Jersey, has failed for \$250,000, and is said to be able to pay but a trifling per cent. upon his liabilities. The fortune of his wife, formerly Miss Perkins, of Boston, is said not to be involved in this calamity. Her income is about \$12,000 a year.

**LABOR-SAVING MACHINE.**—The Kentucky Legislature is termed the "Marriage Emancipator and Divorcing Engine," on account of the many divorces granted by it during its late session. The Kentucky Whigs say sixty have been separated in one day.

**A SEARCHING WIND.**—A writer in the *Louisville Journal*, describing the effects of the late tornado, at "Big Spring," Ky., gravely states that "this morning, fowls of every kind are lying scattered over the fields entirely stripped of feathers."

**CAUTION.**—A little girl at Lafayette, Wisconsin, trying to look cross-eyes, ruptured the external oblique muscle of the eye, and accordingly the eye is drawn from its natural position towards the nose.

**INTERESTING WILL CASE.**—The case of Hilyard and others vs. Peter Miller, on a writ of error to the Common Pleas of Northampton county, is now before the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, on a judgment obtained against the plaintiffs in an action of ejectment brought by Peter Miller, defendant in error in the Court below, to test the will of the late Peter Miller, of Easton, the defendant's uncle. The Philadelphia Ledger says:—

Peter Miller, deceased, by his will gave all the residue of his estate, after some small legacies, to trustees, with directions that it should be leased, loaned and invested, so that the income of his estate might form a fund for the purpose mentioned in his will. His purpose is to assist with loans of money on bond and mortgage, at interests, farmers and mechanics, who want to purchase farms, or having purchased, want to pay for them, or make improvements in the borough of Easton, or townships adjacent. The estate is to accumulate so long as applications to borrow money continue.

By the will it is further directed that if it should so happen, in the lapse of time, that the income of the estate fund should accumulate beyond the applications for such loans, and should be likely to remain so, and the amount thus unemployed would safely justify the undertaking, and when mechanics and others may be in want of employment, then an asylum shall be built out of the income fund, for the benefit of the poor widow and single woman, and the same be supported and maintained out of the means from said fund.

The heir at law contends that the will is void in law, because it creates a perpetuity, and if suffered to stand, would be injurious to the public welfare. That nothing is given in charity, or if anything was intended, it is uncertain, both as to the amount of the fund devoted, and the time when it will be applied. That the intention of the testator, which must govern, is at war with every rule of law on the subjects of charitable uses. The plaintiffs in error contend that it is a charity, and must stand or fall upon one point, what was the intention of the testator.

The estate is worth over three hundred thousand dollars, the whole of which is tied up by this very strange devise.

**RASPAI,** one of the state criminals who have just been convicted and sentenced at Bourges, is the distinguished chemist and physician whose name is connected with several of the most celebrated scientific works of modern times.—He and his fellow prisoners are confined at the tower of Jacques Cœur where he daily receives visits from persons who come to consult him about maladies under which they labor, or for preventatives against the cholera. He affirms, that in following the method which he prescribes, the cholera is no more to be feared than a common cold.

**WONDERFUL ESCAPE OF A SLAVE.**—A few weeks ago, a slave in a southern city managed to open a correspondence with a gentleman in a northern city, with a view of effecting an escape from bondage.—Having arranged the preliminaries, he paid somebody \$40 to box him up, and mark him "This side up, with care," and take him to the express office, consigned to his friend at the North. On the passage, being on board the steamboat, he was accidentally turned head downwards, and almost died with the rush of blood to his head.—At the next change of transportation, however, he was turned right side up again, and after 26 hours confinement, arrived safely at his destination. On receiving the box, the gentleman had doubts whether he should find a corpse or a free man.—He tapped lightly on the box with the question, "All right?" and was delighted to hear the response, "All right, sir." The poor fellow was immediately liberated from his place of living burial, and forwarded to a wealthy Abolitionist in a city in New England, where he now is.

*Burlington (Vt.) Courier.*

**MELANCHOLY SUICIDE.**—About half past 11 o'clock yesterday morning, the Mayor received the startling intelligence that Dr. Charles G. Chipman, a very respectable physician of this city, had committed suicide by cutting the femoral artery with a razor. Upon proceeding to the residence of his brother, No. 2 State st., where he had been staying two or three weeks, it was ascertained that he had suddenly disappeared on Saturday afternoon, at about four o'clock, and was not discovered until about seven in the evening, when he was found dead in an outhouse, with a razor and a lancet lying by his side, which he had doubtless used to accomplish the deed.—The deceased had been laboring for some time under melancholy and depression of spirits, induced, it is supposed, by dyspepsia; and it is probable that while under the influence of a temporary insanity, which this complaint is known to produce, he committed the fatal deed.—*N. Y. Com.*

A cooking stove for California emigrants has recently been invented in Cincinnati, which can be folded up and put in a pair of saddle-bags, and when camping time comes, be rigged up in five minutes to cook a dinner for twelve persons. It can be fed with prairie grains, and is calculated to add much to the comfort of the emigrants journey.

**FIVE PERSONS DROWNED.**—We learn from Fall River, that a party of fifteen persons, all foreigners, who had been carousing at a drinking house at Sparr Island, in attempting to return in their boats on Sunday, capsized and five of the number were drowned. The remainder clung to the boat and were saved.

**SENTENCED.**—Elder Enos G. Dudley, who was recently convicted of the murder of his wife in Grafton, N. H., was sentenced on Wednesday last, at Plymouth, to be hung by the neck, the execution to take place at Haverhill, on the 23d of May.

**FROM CALIFORNIA.**—The *N. Y. Herald* has accounts from San Francisco, three days later. Fifty vessels had arrived at that port within the last week, with produce, &c., and the market was overstocked. All merchandise had become a drug, and prices were down to New York figures.

The crew of the steamer *California* all started for the mines immediately upon her arrival, and apprehensions were entertained that the steamer would be unable to put to sea.

Gold was abundant as ever, and several new placers had been discovered. Gold could be purchased at San Francisco at from \$11 to \$15 per ounce.

A schooner is reported to have arrived at Mazatlan about 10th of March with fifteen thousand ounces of gold, from the placers via San Francisco.

A letter from Rio Janeiro, dated 13th March, states that a whaler had arrived at that port from California, with extravagant reports in regard to the gold. She had one passenger on board, who possessed \$40,000 worth of gold.

**SEPARATION OF EDWIN FORREST FROM HIS WIFE.**—The *N. Y. Sunday Atlas* announces that Edwin Forrest, the tragedian, has been separated from his wife, Caroline Norton Sinclair Forrest, daughter of the vocalist John Sinclair. They were married in 1836, in London, and have lived happily as the *Atlas* states, until last winter, when Mr. F. became moody and melancholy.

The *Atlas* says:—"In the month of December, Mr. Forrest returned from a professional engagement in Philadelphia, in a most unhappy state of mind, and at once demanded a separation. He assigned no cause, offered no apology for the position he assumed; and, when the immediate friend of the parties interfered, and asked to be informed why it was that he asked for separation, his only reply was—a studied, uncomprehensible silence. He was not to be interrogated; he demanded a separation; and he has accomplished his object. Mr. Forrest and his wife have eternally separated."

Mrs. Forrest is described as a lady of talent and beauty. She has been the mother of four children, all of whom, however, died in infancy.

**ATTACK UPON THE FIREMEN'S PARADE IN MOYAMENKING.**—The only thing which occurred to mar the propriety and harmony of the superb parade of the firemen, Tuesday was an outrageous and cowardly attack made upon the procession as it was passing through Moyamensing.

A party of the notorious gang of "Killers," who have now adopted the rallying name of "Stingers," stationed themselves at a point near the corner of Eighth and Catharine streets, and assailed the Good Will Hose Company, as it came by, with clubs, missiles, knives and pistols.

A portion of the Good Will members, to their rope, left the ranks and summarily punished the ruffianly scoundrels, as they deserved. This unprovoked and flagrant outrage was, beyond question, premeditated on the part of those guilty of it. Not far from the spot where it took place, the perpetrators had, sometime before the procession came up, hoisted a flag on which was displayed their infamous name.

*Phil. North American.*

**TONNAGE DUTIES AT PORTO RICO.**—An eminent mercantile house in New York has received information from the American Consul at Porto Rico, that the vessels of the United States are subject to a duty of one dollar per ton in that island, while the vessels of all other nations are charged but 68 3-4 cts. per ton. This is a matter which demands inquiry. The tonnage from the United States entering that island during a year is upwards of 100,000 tons, while all the foreign tonnage does not reach to more than half that amount.

A singular case of Deformity in a young woman, living in Ashville, North Carolina, is reported in the *Surgical Journal*. She was borne completely destitute both of arms and legs, the situation of which is merely indicated by small round projections, thus being, in fact, a mere human trunk, surmounted by a head. She possesses, however, a remarkable power of locomotion, and can transport herself over the floor with ease, by submitting her body to a kind of rotary motion alternately from the right to left, and the contrary.

By means of forged paper to the amount of \$10,000 Miss Elize Clement, an attractive young French girl, who arrived a few months since, contrived to win the attentions of Mr. Gallot, a prosperous dry goods dealer, worth himself \$25,000. They were married on the 18th, and that morning the happy pair left on a tour for the north, the fortunate husband leaving his bride's certificate of deposit for the \$10,000 from Ant. Michoud with a friend to draw the money and remit to him by draft on New York. Mr. M., being called upon the next day, pronounced the paper a sheet fabrication! But the marriage is valid, and the happy groom is now enjoying the honeymoon on the wing, dreaming of his receipts in New York.—*N. O. Picayune*.

**A WOOLLY HORSE.**—A horse has been exhibited in New York, purporting to have been brought from the river Gila, by Col. Fremont. It is covered with wool, instead of hair, and is in some other respects different from any animal of which the books give an account. We believe, however, it is considered that some ingenious Yankee has made up the beast on the foundation of a broken down dray horse.

**STRAWBERRIES.**—Our markets abound in the most delicious strawberries and blackberries. The crop of both promises to be very fine. We saw a few days ago a quart of the finest, largest, and most delicious and fragrant strawberries, which were raised on a lot in the rear of the city, which a few months ago was an unredempted swamp.—*N. O. Delta*.



NEWPORT MERCURY,  
NEWPORT.

SATURDAY MORNING, MAY 5, 1849.

**THE ELECTION.**—The General Assembly convened in this town, Tuesday, agreeably to the requisition of the Constitution, and after being escorted by the Newport Artillery, Col. C. G. Perry, from the Murray House in Pelham street, to the State House at 10 A. M., the two Houses were immediately organized by the choice of officers.

**SENATE.**—A quorum of members of the Senate appeared, at the hour of meeting, and were severally engaged.

Wingate Hayes, Esq., was elected Clerk of the Senate.

**HOUSE.**—At 11 o'clock, the Hon. Henry Y. Cranston, the senior member from Newport, took the Speaker's chair and called the House to order. After the certificates had been received and the members sworn, Mr. Updike nominated James C. Hadden, Esq., of Providence, for Speaker, and he was unanimously elected.

Mr. Hadden, on taking the chair, returned his thanks for the honor conferred on him in a neat and appropriate speech.

Benj. T. Eames and Thos. Durfee Esq's. were unanimously elected Clerks of the House for the year ensuing.

The Senate joined the House, and prayer was offered by the Rev. Dr. Choules.

The Grand Committee then convened to receive the votes for General Officers, which after the usual preliminaries were referred to the Select Committee to be counted.

The Grand Committee then adjourned to 4 P. M.

The Grand Committee re-assembled at 4 o'clock.

The Committee appointed to count the votes for General Officers, reported, that the whole number of votes for Governor was

Necessary for a choice, 4308  
For Henry B. Anthony, 5081  
" Adnah Sackett, 2964  
" Edward Harris, 458  
Scattering, 112

Majority for Anthony, 1547  
Whole No. of votes for Lt. Gov. 8426  
Necessary for a choice, 3714  
For Thomas Whipple, 4624  
" Thomas J. Hazard, 2949  
" Jacob D. Babcock, 444  
Scattering, 409

Majority for Whipple, 822  
Whole No. of votes for Sec'y State, 8641  
Necessary for a choice, 4321  
For Christopher E. Robbins, 3576  
" Levi Salisbury, 2874  
" Henry Bowen, 1751  
" Samuel R. Jackson, 440  
And there is no choice.

Whole No. of votes for Att'y Gen., 8624  
Necessary for a choice, 4313  
For Joseph M. Blake, 5096  
" For H. A. Manchester, 2946  
" Charles Hart, 566  
Scattering, 16  
Majority for Blake, 1568

Whole No. votes for Gen. Treas., 8616  
Necessary for a choice, 4309  
For Stephen Cahoon, 5292  
" Nathan Hammett, 2960  
" Robert R. Carr, 452  
Scattering, 2  
Majority for Cahoon, 1788

The usual resolutions declaring the Governor, Lieut. Governor, Attorney General, and General Treasurer, duly elected for the year ensuing were passed.

The oath of office was then administered to the Governor, and Lieut. Governor by the Secretary of State, and to the Attorney General and General Treasurer by the Governor.

The usual proclamation was then made from the balcony of the State House, and a salute fired by the Artillery Company.

The Grand Committee then separated.

The House adjourned to Wednesday morning 10 o'clock.

**WEDNESDAY, May 2, 1849.**

**HOUSE.**—The House met pursuant to adjournment.

Several Banks made their semi-annual returns.

The annual report of the General Treasurer was received and communicated to the Senate.

Petition of John G. Whitehouse, et. al., relating to running sleds was received and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Various petitions were received and referred to appropriate committees.

All petitions on file for acts of incorporation were referred to the committee on corporations.

The special Committee relative to the communication of Charles Jackson, Esq., declining the appointment of representative from Scituate, on the ground of his ineligibility from want of residence, reported that they had investigated the matter, and were of the opinion that there was no legal election of third representative from that town, and that consequently the old member from that town holds over, under the Constitution. The Report was received and referred.

The Speaker announced the Standing Committees.

The Senate joined the House for the purpose of receiving the votes for Members of Congress, and appointing a Committee to count the same.

The votes for members of Congress were received and referred to a committee of three from each county.

The two Houses then separated.

A special committee was appointed to investigate the illegality of the election of Joseph Gavitt, representative from Charlestown.

Petition of Bristol Commercial Bank, for reduction of their capital stock, was received and referred.

Petition of Mary Melde for change of name, granted and act passed.

The General Treasurer made a report, in conformity with a resolution of the Legislature, passed at the last session, giving the names of Justices who had made no returns for several years past, and also of those who had made returns but returned no money,—which was received and referred to a special Committee.

The reports of the Clerks of the Supreme Court and Court of Common Pleas for the counties of Newport and Providence, were received and referred.

Communications were received from the Senate from the Governors of several States, from Harvard University and from Alexander Vattemare.

Adjourned to 10 o'clock Thursday.

**THURSDAY, May 3, 1849.**

**HOUSE.**—Mr. Updike introduced an Act repealing the Act passed at the January session authorizing the Governor, Lieut. Governor, &c., to appoint a committee to investigate the legality of the Old State Debt. He addressed the House at some length on the subject, going into the history of this debt, and giving his reasons for introducing the Act. The subject was laid on the table.

The Docket of Private Petitions was postponed until the next session.

The two Houses then joined in Grand Committee for the purpose of proceeding in the election of a Secretary of State. The following was the result of the ballot:

Whole No. of votes, 91  
Necessary for a choice, 46  
For Christopher E. Robbins, 58  
" Levi Salisbury, 31  
" Henry Bowen, 2

Majority for Robbins, 25  
The oath of office was administered to Mr. Robbins by the Governor.

William Gilpin, was elected Clerk of the Supreme Court, and Daniel C. Denham Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas for Newport County.

Wm. H. Douglass was re-elected Sheriff for Newport County.

The Notaries Public for Newport County were re-elected.

Several of the towns have elected Justices of the Peace; in others they were elected by the Grand Committee, and in a number the election was postponed until the June session.

Amos D. Smith was elected Major General; Henry G. Mumford, Paymaster General; Christopher G. Perry, Brigadier General of the First Brigade; Byron Sprague, Division Inspector; William Bodfish, Brigade Major of the Fourth Brigade.

The Committee appointed to count the votes for members of Congress made the following report:

Whole number of votes, 4500  
Necessary for a choice, 2251  
For George G. King, 3029  
" Fenner Brown, 1248  
" John Boyden, Jr., 213  
Scattering, 10  
Majority for King, 1558

Whole number of votes, 4653  
Necessary for a choice, 2077  
For Sylvester G. Shearman, 1974  
" Benjamin B. Thurston, 1994  
" Lauriston Hall, 160  
Scattering, 24  
And there is no election.

A resolution was passed declaring George G. King duly elected Representative from the Eastern District to the 31st Congress.

A communication was received from the Hon. Richard W. Greene, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, resigning his office,—the resignation to take effect on the 4th of June next. The resignation was accepted.

In the House, several petitions were received and referred to the appropriate Committees.

Several concurrences from the Senate were read.

Adjourned to 9 o'clock, Friday.

**FRIDAY, May 4, 1849.**

**HOUSE.**—Morning.—Met at 9 o'clock pursuant to adjournment.

After disposing of a number of private petitions, they took up the resolution of Mr. Updike, respecting the act for a committee to investigate the legality of the Old State Debt. Mr. U., occupied the attention of the House till the hour of adjournment, he went into the history of this Debt, the proofs of its having once been paid, and the manner and causes of its revival.

Afternoon.—The House was principally occupied in the passing private accounts against the State.

The petition of the Bristol Commercial Bank for reduction of Capital was granted.

The resolution of Mr. Updike in relation to the old State Debt was taken up, and on motion to postpone the same to June passed 38 to 14.

Resolutions complimentary to Henry Bowen, the late Secretary of State, for his faithful services, were passed and sent to the Senate who non-concurred. A committee of Conference of the two Houses was appointed. After passing a number of private bills the House voted to adjourn to meet in this town on the fourth Monday of June.

The Cotillion Party at Masonic Hall, on Thursday evening last, was a merry affair, and the lovers of the dance enjoyed a happy time. The ladies present were very numerous; and the music by the U. S. Band, was in the highest degree pleasing. The whole affair passed off well.

**FIREMEN'S PARADE.**—The Aquidneck Hose Company, No. 1, Capt. Stevens, and Hercules Engine Company, No. 7, were out on parade last Tuesday with full ranks. They made a fine display, and were highly complimented for their neat and efficient appearance. They were preceded by the Aquidneck Band.

**DENTISTRY.**—We invite the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Dr. Wm. H. Smith, who intends making this place his permanent residence.

**THE FALL RIVER LINE.**—The *Bay State*, and the *State of Maine*, are the steamers which now run regularly between this place and New York. We think the travelling public are now amply provided with boats admirably fitted for convenience and safety.

The *Bay State*, has undergone a complete overhauling since last season, and may now be fairly considered among the most spacious, elegant and magnificent water palaces which ever floated on the sound. She is still commanded by Capt. W. Brown, whose devotion to the comforts of his transient guests, has won for him a reputation which he will not soon lose. He is assisted by Mr. Fairchild, a gentleman whose courtesy and gentlemanly address renders the *Bay State* doubly attractive.

The *State of Maine*, in addition to the ordinary equipments of a steamboat, is furnished with a fire engine, to which is attached a hose of 200 feet in length; while the safety of passengers, in case of accident, is provided for by four life boats, capable of accommodating 200 persons. She is 248 feet in length, and 32 in breadth of beam, and 840 tons burthen; and in every respect a first rate vessel. She is commanded by Capt. Jewett, who has gained the entire confidence and esteem of the travelling public, by his long experience and attention to his business.

**FIRE.**—There was an alarm of fire yesterday afternoon, about 6 o'clock which proved to be in the House opposite Cottrell's Ship-Yard.

**HOLDEN'S (\$1) MAGAZINE** has been received. It is filled as usual, with a variety of reading matter. Tilley, of the *News Depot* is the Agent.

**ACCIDENT.**—While the Governor's salute was being fired yesterday afternoon, Mr. Eldred, one of the Representatives from North Kingston, who was standing on the piazza of the U. S. Hotel, was struck in the throat by the wadding from one of the guns; it was not a serious wound, although it bled freely, and he was very faint for some time.—*News of Wednesday.*

In Cincinnati a young man named George died of chloroform administered by a physician, to enable him to undergo an operation.

The miners and laborers at the coal mines in Pottsville, Pa., turned out for higher wages, and suspended work on Monday, demanding an advance of 40 per cent.

A letter from Acapulco, dated 1st, mentions a rumor that a ship from Panama to California, filled with passengers had burnt at sea, and all except three or four had perished.

**MONTREAL, May 3.**—All is quiet. The Assembly is passing old orders without discussion. The Council were unable to agree to an address to the Governor. The Ministry is likely to be beaten. The Governor is at home. The tariff makes wheat free.

**SIR JOHN FRANKLIN.**—The President has received a letter from Lady Franklin, requesting his co-operation in the search which is being made for the missing expedition of Sir John Franklin. The President has returned a favorable reply.

**HARTFORD, May 3, A. M.**—Election for Governor.—The two branches of the Legislature in joint ballot, have elected Mr. Trumbull, (Whig) for Governor, by a majority of 12.

**SEDUCTION.**—Lawrence Boxter recovered at the Schoharie circuit \$1000 damages against Philip W. Ingalls, for the seduction of his daughter, Eliza Boxter.

**TO TAKE INK OUT OF LINEN.**—Editors and clerks wives will learn with pleasure that to take a piece of tallow, melt it, and dip the spotted part of the linen into the melted tallow, the linen may be washed, and the spots will disappear, without injuring the linen.

The roll of names of all Marylanders who served in the revolutionary war, which was stolen from the state archives when the British attacked Baltimore in 1814, has just been found.

**MATRIMONY AT LAWRENCE.**—The Lawrence Messenger says: "We notice the names of fourteen couples in the Town Clerk's box in the Post Office, yesterday morning, as candidates for matrimony."

**CROPS IN OHIO.**—One of our forwarders, just returned from a trip South, having traveled the whole length of the canal, and visited most of the wheat countries in the State, says that the coming crop never looked more promising. The late rains have sprouted wheat where apparently there was none to sprout, and if nothing happens to it between this and harvest, the State will overflow with the staple. There is not much grain in store along the canal, but there is plenty of the old crop in the country, waiting higher prices. Since the coming crop promises so abundantly, there is a slight tendency to bring it forward. The last foreign news will most likely give it a start.—*Cleveland Plain Dealer.*

A subscriber to the Washington Union sends that journal notice of discontinuance for a novel reason—he does not like the new village Postmaster, and will not take any paper so long as he remains."

**BRIGHTON MARKET, Thursday, May 3d.**

At market during the week, 600 Beef Cattle, 28 pairs Working Oxen, 47 Cows and Calves, 700 Sheep and 5000 Swine.

**PRICES.**  
Beef Cattle.—Extra \$6 75; First quality \$6 50; second \$6; third \$5 75.  
Working Oxen.—Dull. \$59, \$100, \$110, \$123 and \$125.  
Cows & Calves.—\$15, \$18, \$23, \$27, and \$34.  
Sheep.—Sales at \$2 75, and \$3—one lot of extra at \$3.  
Swine.—4 and 4½; at retail 5 and 6½.

**Coal.**—RED ASH COAL, for sale by GEO. BOWEN & CO.

April 14, 1849.

## MARRIAGES.

In this town, on Monday evening last, by the Rev. Henry Jackson, Major THOMAS B. CAIR to Miss ANNA ELIZABETH, only daughter of Mr. Perry Sherman, all of this place.  
At Portsmouth on the 29th ult., by the Rev. Mr. Payne, Mr. EDWARD SLOCUM to Miss BACHELOR C. GOULD, daughter of Mr. Thomas Gould. Same time, by the Rev. Mr. Payne, Mr. JONATHAN C. GOULD to Miss JOSEPHINE L., daughter of the late James Duffee, all of Portsmouth.

## DEATHS.

In Portsmouth, on the 27th ult., Mrs. ANNE SISON, in the 97th year of her age, widow of George Sison.

In Providence, on the 29th ult., Mrs. ANN GREENE, widow of the late Capt. John M. Greene, in the 76th year of her age; Mrs. ELIZA YOUNG Sessions, wife of Mr. Darius Sessions, and daughter of the late Capt. David Hicks, in the 47th year of her age; Mr. JOHN B. SMITH, in his 30th year of his age; Mrs. RUDDA, wife of Capt. Stephen Manchester, in the 53d year of her age; 2d inst., AMELIA TOWNSEND, daughter of B. W. Comstock, in the 10th year of her age.

In West Greenwich, March 20th, Mr. STEPHEN BENNETT, aged 72 years; April 4th, Mrs. PHIBBE BENNETT, widow of Stephen Bennett, aged 67 years.

MERCURY  
MARINE LIST.  
PORT OF NEWPORT.

## MARINE MEMORANDA.

At Fall River the 28th, bark Pantheon, Diman, Lahaina, Nov. 26th, with 1350 bbls wh 60 do sp. oil, and 13,000 lbs. of bone. The P. brings home on freight from ship Mechanic, of Newport.

At Sial about 5th inst. sch'r Warsaw, Newton, in New Orleans for Camperchy.

At Havana 23d inst, brig Confidence, Babcock, for Matanzas 24th, to load for Boston.

At 21st, brig Henry Marshall, Brightman, dis.; 18th inst, brig Annawan, Almy, Wilmington, N. C.; Arr brig Prince de Joinville, Gardner, fm Savannah; 13th, Sch'r George Engs, Smart, fm New Orleans.

Arr at New Bedford, 2d, ship Samuel Robinson, Turner, N. Pacific, Sandwich Islands Nov. 26th, with 3700 bbls wh, 25 do sp oil, and 30,000 lbs bone.

"SOW THAT YOU MAY REAP."

**Tilley's Newspaper Depot.**  
122 THAMES STREET.

NEW YORK Daily Express, Herald and Tribune received every morning and delivered to subscribers at their residence or place of business. Boston Daily Mail received at noon and delivered as above for one cent per copy or six cents per week. Bennett's Weekly Herald, Weekly Tribune, Police Gazette, Ned Buntline's Own, Scorpion, Model Courier, Post, Flag of Our Union, Uncle Sam, Banner, Universe, Weekly Mail, Bee, Yankee Blade, Pilot, Nation, Literary American, Boston Museum, and a great variety of other Weeklies always on hand. Orders received and punctually attended to for Books, Magazines, Sheet Music, &c., &c. [May 5.]

**Strong Thread Strainer Cloth,**  
At H. SESSIONS  
Newport, May 4, 1849.

**EVERY ARRIVAL**  
OF THE  
'RIENZI'  
BRINGS SOMETHING NEW.

—MORE FRESH AND CHEAP—  
**GROCERIES,**  
Daily expected, at the EMPORIUM.  
All of which will be sold, of course, low.  
WILLIAM NEWTON,  
Nos. 98 & 100 Thames St.

**WM. H. SMITH,**  
DENTAL SURGEON.

WOULD inform the citizens of Newport and its vicinity, that he has taken rooms at Mrs. WILCOX'S, over Messrs. Finch & Eng's Store, (first door North of Swinburn's Block, Thames street,) where he will be in attendance to perform all operations essential to the preservation of the TEETH and GUMS. He will also insert ARTIFICIAL TEETH, from one, to an entire set, in the best possible manner. Work warranted and prices moderate.

Mr. S. has had a number of years experience in his Profession, and therefore feels confident that he can perform all operations to the entire satisfaction of all parties.

Mr. S. would also state that he intends making Newport his permanent residence, and hopes by strict attention to business to merit a share of public patronage.

Unquestionable references given, if required. He has a Compound Dentifrice for beautifying and preserving the Teeth; a very superior article, prepared by himself.

Newport, May 5, 1849.

**New Books, &c. &c.**

HARPER'S edition of Macaulay's History of England, handsomely printed with large type, fine paper and well bound, with a portrait of the author—75 cents per volume; History of King Charles the 2d, by Jacob Abbott; Valerie, a tale of the late Capt. Marryat, R. N.; Agnes Morris, a tale of Domestic Life; A man made of money, by Jerrold—illustrated; The American Joe Miller, with 100 engravings; Memoirs of my youth, by A. de Lamartine; the Gold mines of the Gila—a sequel to old Hicks the guide. And a great variety of Children's Books, Song Books, Playing Cards, Stationary of all kinds, Comic Pictures, Blank Books, all the popular Magazines of the day, and in fact everything of the kind usually found in a store of this kind, always on hand and for sale at TILLEY'S Newspaper, Sheet music, and Periodical Depot.

May 6.] 122 Thames street.

**Newport Exchange Bank.**

THE Stockholders in this Bank are hereby notified that their annual meeting for the choice of Directors, and to transact such other business as may legally come before them, will be held at their banking room on MONDAY, May 7th next, at 3 o'clock, P. M.

JOHN STERNE, Cashier.  
Newport, April 21, 1849.—3w.

**FOR SALE.**

A FIRST RATE BUGGY, nearly new, is offered for sale by CHARLES DEVENS, Jr.

Newport, April 28, 1849.—1f.

## WM. C. COZZENS &amp; CO.

April 14, 1849.

**OFFER** for sale at their CARPET WARE ROOMS, a large and careful selection of choice desirable Styles of Carpeting of approved manufacture, and at the cheapest prices, among them are—

**SUPERIOR INGRAIN, SCOTCH & AMERICAN**  
ELEGANT THREE PLY, rich colors,  
SPLENDID TAPESTRY, several patterns very rich,  
BRUSSELS & VENETIAN: ALL WOOL COMMON  
50 cents, to 75 cents;

**COTTON AND COTTON & WOOL—HANDSOME**  
28 to 46 cents,  
STRIPED CARPETS; 124 cents to 30.  
CHENILLE & TUFTED HEARTH RUGS,  
—ALSO—

**PAINTED FLOOR CLOTHS, STRAW MATTINGS,**  
BOCKINGS, MATS, and all the articles ever kept  
in a Carpet store.

Carpets cut and warranted to match-made to order and put down at moderate charge, and at short notice.

**NEW SPRING GOODS,**  
RECEIVED THIS WEEK.

CONSISTING OF Plain and figured Mous. de Laines, Gingham, Linen Lusters, Prints, Shawls, Mantilla Silks, Fringes, Bonnet Ribbons, &c., &c., at No. 85 Thames street.  
March 31.] JAMES H. HAMMETT.

**Auction & COMMISSION STORE.**  
115  
Thames Street.

THE subscriber would respectfully inform his friends and the public that he has taken the store (foot of Mary street), where he intends to keep an AUCTION & COMMISSION STORE, and any business entrusted to his care will be thankfully received and punctually attended to.—Auctions for the sale of Real Estate, or personal property, attended to in any part of the town.

ALSO—Real Estate and Stock Broker. Real Estate and Stocks of all kinds bought and sold.  
SAMUEL A. PARKER.  
Newport, April 21, 1849.—1f.

**NEW STYLE**  
**Paper WINDOW Shades,**  
For sale at  
April 14.

**Babbitt's Shaving Powder**  
Is beyond comparison, the most effectual and recherche preparation ever devised, for the purpose of removing the beard from the "human face divine." There is a something about this admirable article that commands it very favorably to all who have tested it.

R. J. TAYLOR, Agent for Newport.  
April 21.

**NEW SPRING GOODS.**  
NEW STYLES.

Worthy of notice, are received at  
JAMES HAMMOND'S.  
April 21.

ALSO—Another lot of BONNETS.  
April 21.

**RAVENCROFT'S** Italian Cream of Rosemary and Castor Oil, for the embellishment and cleansing of the Human Hair.  
March 24] at R. J. TAYLOR.

**NEW**  
**FANCY GOODS**  
—AT THE—  
**FANNY SALOON.**

JUST RECEIVED for Summer trade. Also, a splendid assortment of TOYS, rich and new, cheaper than ever, comprising in part, the following articles:—

A large variety of fancy baskets, Ladies' Work Boxes,—some very rich; card case portmanteos, scissors, pocket knives, canes, chess, gingham board, chequers, dice and dominoes. Also, a beautiful lot of Accordions,—very cheap; bird cages and glasses, bird seed of all kinds. Also, the largest assortment of Dolls and Heads to be found in this State,—of every variety; hair, clothes, shaving, and shoe brushes, razors and strops. Perfumery and hair oils—of all kinds; pictures and frames; soaps,—and in fact every article that can be called for in this line.

A new lot of choice FLOWER SEEDS, just received by  
H. H. YOUNG,  
Park Saloon.  
Ap 28.]

**Bank Stock for Sale.**

15 SHARES in the Capital Stock of the Marine Bank, New Bedford. Also 5 Shares in the capital Stock of the Bank of Rhode Island, Newport. Enquire of  
PETER P. REMINGTON.  
Newport, April 28, 1849.

**TO LET.**

THE LARGE and convenient two story House, pleasantly situated at the corner of Caleb Earl street, near the head of Broad street, well arranged for one or two families; with wood-houses, cellar, well of water, and every other convenience attached. For terms apply to  
WM. D. STEWART.  
Broad street.  
Newport, April 28.]

**SPRING ARRANGEMENT.**  
**NEWPORT & PROVIDENCE.**

THE Steamer PERRY, Capt. Wooley, will commence her trips between Newport & Providence, on MONDAY next, March 26th; leaving Newport, daily (Sundays excepted) at 8 A. M. Returning will leave Providence at 3 P. M.

FARE 50 CENTS.  
Freight taken at reduced rates.  
March 24, 1849.—1f.

**Exchange Coffee House,**  
—KNOWN AS—  
"Mc Gill & Fearing's Exchange Hotel."

CONGRESS SQUARE, BOSTON.

THIS well known establishment, situated in the immediate vicinity of the Banks and Insurance Offices, furnishes every comfort and convenience to travelers at the moderate charge of \$1



## CLOTHING.

New Fashionable Styles for Spring.

## OREGON CLOTHING STORE

Next North of the Custom House.

WE HAVE just completed manufacturing of Ready made Clothing ever offered to the public. Our stock is large and our goods all fresh and new, having been selected from the best Foreign and Home fabrics, at the LOWEST PRICES, which enables us to offer clothing at almost HALF THE USUAL COST. If those who are in want of Clothing will look through our stock, they will find

## SPLENDID BARGAINS.

In addition to the above large stock of Clothing, we have purchased in Boston this week a very large assortment of Furnishing Goods, of every description, usually kept in a Clothing Store.

These goods shall be sold low for cash. Coats of a hundred kinds we have. Such ones we know would suit you well; And most fastidious have bought. And praised them high and so they ought. We have on hand upward of 4000 pair of pants. Of Doe Skins, Broadcloth and cassimere. More than we can tell you here. There's not a form however poor. To which they can't impart a cure.

## CHILDREN'S CLOTHING.

Such as Round Jackets, Sack Jackets, Sacks, Tuniclets, small frocks, fancy caps, childrens belts. TRUNKS, VALISES & CARPET BAGS. An unusual large assortment bought in New York and Boston, which shall be sold at lower prices than ever offered.

## HATS AND CAPS.

We have just received our spring styles of Hats and Caps of the latest patterns and made to our order and adapted in shapes and prices to the wishes of the purchaser and his pocket.

"Tosses like the head that wears the crown." The most anxious and disturbed hair will be restored to perfect calmness by wearing one of our New York Hats. [Mch. 17.]

Gentlemen's Hats and Caps, for SPRING, 1849.

THE subscriber would inform his friends and the public in general, that he has just received his Spring assortment of HATS and CAPS, from New York and Boston, which for beauty of style and finish, cannot be surpassed if equalled, in this town or State. Also, children's Caps of more than twenty different patterns, all of which will be sold on the most reasonable terms.

JACOB WEAVER, Late PARKER & WEAVER. PS—Hats and Caps made to order. Newport, April 7.—3m.

NEW SPRING GOODS April 14, 1849.

Dry Goods, CARPETINGS, AND PAPER HANGINGS.

In all their variety, open this morning by WM. C. COZZENS, & CO. Which they will be happy to show their Customers, and at the lowest prices that can be found anywhere of equal quality.

## Valuable Real Estate For Sale.

THE ESTATE on Thames street, long known as the residence of William Lee, dec., consisting of a lot of land 90 feet front and rear, and extending to the harbor, with a two-story dwelling house, stable and other out buildings thereon, and is well supplied with well and rain water; together with a Spar Yard, having a Spar Shop 70 feet long, with ample dock and wharf room, and all the necessary fixtures for prosecuting the spar-making business,—for which purpose it has been occupied for upwards of 100 years in the same family. If this estate is not sold by the 1st of May next it will then be let together, or separately as desired. The dwelling house is well arranged for two families. March 31.

## FOR SALE

Or To Let for the Season Furnished.

A New two-story Stone House, situated on Spring street, about 1/4 of a mile south of the compact part of the town. This House is very commodious and well finished, has a patent Cooking Range; bathing room, force pumps for rain and well water, &c.; and commands a fine view of the town and harbor, and of the adjacent farms, with nothing to interrupt the prospect on either side. For further information apply to, R. P. LEE, At the R. I. Union Bank. Newport, March 31.—tf.

Dr. Jayne's Family Medicines.

WHICH he recommends with the greatest confidence, being fully persuaded from past experience, that they will give very general, if not universal satisfaction and he assures the public, that they need not fear either to use or recommend them, as they are perfectly safe, and will in an eminent degree, perform all that is stated in the directions accompanying each article—they consist of—

JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT for coughs, colds, consumption, asthma, bronchitis, croup, &c. JAYNE'S TONIC VERMIFUGE, a pleasant and valuable worm medicine. JAYNE'S CARMINATIVE BALM, for Summer complaints or diarrhoea, dysentery, cholera morbus, cramps, cholice, and derangement generally of the stomach and bowels.

JAYNE'S SANTIVE PILLS for liver complaints, jaundice, dyspepsia, &c. JAYNE'S ALTERNATIVE for King's evil, white swellings, ulcers, scrofulous-cancerous and indolent tumors, goitre &c. The various diseases of the skin and all others originating from an impure state of the blood.

JAYNE'S HAIR TONIC, for promoting the growth of the hair, giving it a rich glossy appearance and removing scurf and dandruff. JAYNE'S HAIR DYE, for changing the hair from any other color to a beautiful Auburn or perfect Jet black, without staining the skin.

At wholesale and retail, by R. R. HAZARD, Agent for Newport, near the Court House. July 6.—1y.

## CHILDREN'S WEAR.

A GREAT variety of small figures and neat, adapted for Children's wear, just opened by April 11.] WM. C. COZZENS, & CO.

## MURRAY HOUSE,

CORNER OF PELHAM &amp; CORN STREETS.

WILL be opened for the reception of company on the first of April, by the subscriber, (under the direction of Mrs. Murray.) He begs leave to assure his former patrons and the public, that no exertion will be spared to sustain its present reputation. WILLIAM B. WILSON. Newport, March 17, 1849.—6m.

## TO LET,

And immediate possession given.

THE lower part of the Gamell House, situated on Spring street. For further information apply to P. P. REMINGTON. March 3, 1849.

## TO LET

THE two-story house at the corner of Spring and John street, lately occupied by Christopher J. Bliven. Also the first two-story House above on John street. Both houses are nearly new and in good order, if sold the terms will be made easy to the purchaser. Apply to J. M. HAMMETT, At the "Long Room," 133 Thames st March 18, 1849.—tf

## TO LET,

and possession given immediately.

THE CHAMBERS of the House situated on Brewery street, belonging to Mr. Richard Hazzard. For further particulars, apply to PETER P. REMINGTON, Guardian. Newport, March 25, 1849.

## TO LET,

THE COTTAGE in Kay st., now occupied by the Rev. Henry Jackson. For terms &c. apply to SAMUEL ENGS. Newport, March 17, 1849.

## TO LET,

and possession given immediately.

A SHOP, situated in Portsmouth, near Mitchell's Mill, formerly occupied by Samuel Heath, as a Wheelwright Shop. Also, a lot of Land containing about 3/4 acres of good land at the north part of Newport, belonging to the heirs of the late Peter Chase. For terms enquire of JAMES CHASE. Portsmouth, Feb. 17, 1849.

## TO LET.

THE valuable estate No. 148 Thames street. The store has been recently repaired and modernized, and as a business location is not surpassed by any in Newport. The tenement is roomy and convenient—there is a good cellar and well of water, and a large garden, containing some valuable fruit trees. For terms apply to WILLIAM HUNTER. Newport, Aug. 5.

## House To Let for Summer Residence.

THE subscriber will let his house, furnished, for the season. Said house is situated on Tourto street, and contains 13 rooms, besides a good basement cellar, garden, &c. Possession will be given the first of July or sooner if desired. Apply to M. HALL or W. H. CRANSTON. Newport, March 10.—tf.

## Farm For Sale,

THAT VALUABLE and pleasant FARM, about three miles from Newport on the West road, leading to Bristol Ferry, in Middletown, containing about one hundred acres of first quality and highly cultivated tillage land, with two good dwelling-houses, out kitchen, wood house, milk room, ice house, carriage house and stable, crib, and several other small buildings. The whole Farm is walled in from 3 to 8 acres, with two orchards, a large garden, and about one acre of land on the west shore below the farm bought for the purpose of taking sea-weed and sand for the use of the Farm. For terms of payment, which will be liberal, apply to STEPHEN T. NORTHAM, in Newport. Aug. 5, 1848.

## TO LET.

THE Slocum House, situated on Thames st., next south of the residence of Wm. C. Cozzens, Esq.—For information apply to PETER P. REMINGTON, Agent. Newport, March 10, 1849.

## TO LET,

A HOUSE in Pelham street, having a large Kitchen, and two large cellars in the basement, and ten or eleven rooms on two floors including a spacious hall, with a yard, rainwater cistern, &c. For further particulars and terms, apply to DAVID MELVILLE, Frank Street. Newport, March 3, 1849.—tf.

## TO LET.

And possession given on the 1st of April.

THAT well known estate in Broad street, near the State House, now occupied as a Boarding House, by George W. Stanhope, and formerly for many years by Joseph Fish. It contains about 20 Rooms, with a Cook House, and every necessary convenience. The House is in good repair, and its location will be found very convenient for travellers or persons having business with the Courts or the General Assembly. It will be let for one or more years. For further particulars and terms apply to JOSEPH ANTHONY. Newport, March 10, 1849.

## GLOVES &amp; HOSE.

THE subscribers offer to the attention of their customers the following variety of seasonable articles in the above line, many of them different from the old style, and all at very moderate prices, viz:— Ladies Cashmere Gloves; Fleece Silk do; Beaver do; Beaver riding do; Ladies' black Vicuña Hose; Worsted do; thick brown cotton do; Gentlemen's Wool Gloves for driving; do Beaver do; Gentlemen's White Cashmere gloves, stout and warm; Fleece cotton do; black, white, and cold. If their stock of Alexander's and Cheilley's Kid Gloves is also unusually complete. F. LAWTON & BROS.

## New Patterns of Prints

JUST RECEIVED and for sale by JAMES H. HAMMETT.

At a Court of Probate, holden at the Town Hall in and for the town of Tiverton, on the 24 day of April 1849.

UPON the petition of Horace A. Manchester, a Minister to the estate of CAPT. JAMES MANCHESTER, of said Tiverton, dec. representing, upon the settlement of his accounts this day made with said Court, that there is a deficiency of assets from personal estate in his hands, to pay the debts of the deceased, in the sum of three thousand, seven hundred and thirty-nine dollars and ninety-nine cents. Wherefore, he prays this Hon. Court to authorize and empower him to make sale of so much of the Real Estate of the deceased, lying in said Tiverton, as will be sufficient to enable him to pay said amount, together with incidental charges. It is therefore ordered and decreed that notice be given to all persons interested therein, by publishing a copy of this decree three successive weeks in the *Newport Mercury*, that they may appear at said Town Hall in Tiverton on the first Monday the 7th day of May next, to be examined, if they see cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. CHAS. DUFFEE, Probate Clerk. Tiverton, April 2, 1849.

Court of Probate, Newport, holden April 2, 1849. JOSHUA A. CARP, Administrator on the estate of

THOMAS C. SHERMAN, late of Newport, Mariner, dec., presents his 2d account on said estate for allowance, and for an order of distribution of the balance of said account to the creditors of said Sherman, whose claims are allowed by the commissioners on said estate.

The consideration thereof is referred to a Court of Probate, to be holden at the Town Hall in Newport, on the first Monday in May next, at 9 o'clock, a.m., and notice is ordered to be given, by advertisement for three successive weeks in the *Newport Mercury*, that all persons interested may appear at said time and place, if they see fit, and show cause, if any, why said report should not be received, and said commission closed. B. B. HOWLAND, Probate Clerk.

At a Court of Probate of Newport, April 9, 1849.

PETER P. REMINGTON, Administrator on the estate of

GILES BARNEY, late of Newport, Blacksmith, dec., presents his second account on said estate, for allowance, which account contains a credit for proceeds of Real Estate of said Giles Barney, sold by the administrator. The same is read, received and referred for consideration to a Court of Probate to be holden at the Town Hall in Newport on the first Monday of May next, at 9 o'clock, a.m., and notice is ordered to be given thereof for three successive weeks in the *Newport Mercury*, that all persons interested may appear at said time and place, if they see fit and be heard. B. B. HOWLAND, Probate Clerk.

Court of Probate, Newport, holden April 2, 1849. WM. C. COZZENS, administrator on the estate of

CHARLES WHITFIELD, late of Newport, Innholder, dec., presents his last administration account on said estate for allowance. The same is read, received and referred for consideration to a Court of Probate to be holden at the Town Hall in Newport, on the first Monday in May next, at 9 o'clock, a.m., and notice is ordered to be given thereof by advertisement for 3 successive weeks in the *Newport Mercury*, that all persons interested may appear at said time and place and be heard. B. B. HOWLAND, Probate Clerk.

Court of Probate, Newport, holden April 2, 1849.

UPON the report of the Commissioners heretofore by this Court appointed, to receive and examine the claims against the estate of HENRY GRISWOLD, late of Connecticut, Mariner, dec., presented for reception.

The consideration thereof is referred to a Court of Probate to be holden at the Town Hall in Newport, on the first Monday in May next, at 9 o'clock, a.m., and notice is ordered to be given thereof, by advertisement 3 successive weeks, in the *Newport Mercury*, that all persons interested may appear at said time and place, and be heard. B. B. HOWLAND, Probate Clerk.

## Administrator's Notice.

THE subscriber having been appointed by the Hon. Court of Probate of the town of Newport, Administrator on the estate of THOMAS TOWNSEND, late of Newport, dec., requests all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and all persons having demands to present them for settlement. WILLIAM C. TOWNSEND, Adm'r. Newport, April 14, 1849.

## EXECUTORS NOTICE.

THE subscriber named in the last Will and testament of LUCY S. SMITH, late of Newport, single woman, dec., sole Executrix thereof, which is duly proved, by the Court of Probate of Newport, and she has given bond as the law directs, requests all persons having claims against said estate to present them for settlement, and all persons indebted to make immediate payment. SALLY SMITH, Ex'r. Newport, April 9, 1849.

## EXECUTOR'S AND ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED having been named Executor of the last will and testament of JOHN KEARNS, and administrator with the will annexed of JAMES BOYLE and BARTHELEME WALSHE, all late of the United States Army, dec., which wills have been duly proved, and having given bond on said estates as the law directs, he hereby notifies all persons having claims against either of said estates to present them to him for settlement, and all persons indebted are requested to make immediate payment to E. J. STEPTOE, Ex'r & Adm'r, with wills annexed. Newport, April 9, 1849.

## EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

THE subscribers hereby give public notice that they have been appointed Executors of the last will and testament of DAVID ALBRO, late of Portsmouth, dec., and having accepted said trust, and given bond as the law directs, request all persons having claims against said estate to present them for settlement, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment. PELEG ALBRO, } Exors. FREEDMAN ALBRO, } Portsmouth, April 14, 1849.

## Commissioner's Notice.

THE commission heretofore ordered by the Court of Probate for receiving and examining claims against the estate of CHARLES WHITFIELD, late of Newport, Innholder, dec., represented insolvent, is re-opened, and the time extended for 30 days from April 24. The Commissioners will therefore meet at the Merchants Bank, on Thursday the 3d of May next, at 10 o'clock, A.M. for that purpose. CHARLES GYLES, } Comm'rs. ISAAC GOULD, } P. P. REMINGTON, }

GLOVES. SUPERIOR Kid Gloves; do Silk and Lisle Thread Gloves, just received and for sale by Ap. 14] WM. C. COZZENS & CO.

THE B. ST. And Cheapest Family Medicine in the World!

DR. ROBERTS' Compound Sarsaparilla Pills.

An Alternative, Tonic, Diuretic, and mild Cathartic. Price 34 cents per box, containing 50 Pills.

The great superiority of "Roberts' Compound Sarsaparilla Pills," over all other preparations of Sarsaparilla and Pills, is their concentrated form, and the purity of the extract, which, being combined with other vegetable extracts, render them the most purifying of all medicines.

The compound Sarsaparilla root, after a long time, attracted the attention of the medical profession and the public, and a great number have been directed to the development of the Medical properties of various Symps. The roots and the medicinal have been used, and found to be a valuable purgative of the blood. Medical men are aware how slightly the root yields its virtue by maceration in water, and the impossibility of retaining it when prepared in Alcohol. Hence the great value of the solid extract of which these Pills are prepared, and the Compound Sarsaparilla Pills contain more of the Sarsaparilla than is contained in two bottles of the "young man's blood."

The Proprietor experienced, after several years, to obtain from the root a solid extract, which should possess all the available properties in their own concentrated form, which is combined into the form of Pills, and has used them in the practice with the most astonishing success, and at the suggestion of many "Doctors," he now offers to the public a pure vegetable compound, and may be used by persons of all ages. They are pleasant to the palate, and produce no nausea, uneasiness or griping in their operation. Hundreds of certificates could be given of persons who have used them with the greatest benefit. Purchasers will be particular to ask for "Roberts' Compound Sarsaparilla Pills," and observe that the wrapper on each box has a facsimile of the signature of J. C. ROBERTS, M. D. No travelling agents appointed.

All applications for Agencies, and letters on the subject of the Medicine, must be addressed (post paid) to C. P. Fay, New York City, General Agent for the United States, British and West India Provinces. R. J. TAYLOR and C. C. HAZARD, Agents N. York, R. I. Aug. 5th.

## GENTLEMEN'S HATS.

SPRING STYLE, 1849

WM. H. BEEBE & CO., HATTERS, No. 158 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, and 138 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, Pa. would respectfully invite the attention of the public and the Trade to the fact that they are now selling their Spring style of Gentlemen's Hats to customers from every section of the country, and the extraordinary celebrity which their Hats have obtained, they think, warrants them in saying that they are positively unequalled for superiority of style, excellence of material, workmanship and durability, by any others on the continent or perhaps in the world. The fact that we are constantly supplying the most Fashionable Hatters, throughout the United States, with 112 of our manufacture, and the universal encomiums bestowed upon them by the public press wherever they are known, would seem to justify us in placing their merits in a conspicuous manner before the public throughout the length and breadth of the land.

Our manufacturing facilities are now so extensive and complete, that we are enabled to supply orders to an unlimited extent, and we fully believe that the Trade would find their advantage in purchasing of us exclusively their Fine Hats, as they would thereby secure a uniformity in their quality and appearance which could not fail to increase their sales very considerably. The various quality of our Molekin Hats at wholesale, range in price from \$30 to \$64 per doz., and our Beaver and Nutria Hats bear about the same price. An extensive assortment of Gent's, Youths and Childrens caps, of cloth and velvet, with childrens Beaver and Castor, Chapeaux and Casquettes, of our own manufacture and of the latest importations from Paris, assist in completing the variety of our stock. Also, Summer Hats, of Panama, Straw and Leghorn, for Gent's and Youths, with infant's and children's straw goods in the greatest variety.

Orders for Goods of any description in our line will be put up with the utmost despatch, at moderate prices, and on accommodating terms.

WM. H. BEEBE & CO., Hatters, at 158 Broadway, N. Y., & 138 Chestnut st. Phil. N. B.—Gentlemen residing at a distance, and wishing for a FINE HAT, of our RETAIL QUALITY, are respectfully informed that by remitting us the price, \$5, by mail, accompanied by a measure of the length and width of their hats, taken in inches and fractions, on the inside of the crown and nearest the brim, (which will give both the size and the shape of their heads) they can have one forwarded to their address, warranted to fit.

April 7. WM. H. BEEBE &amp; CO.

## COMMISSIONER'S AND ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.

THE subscribers having been appointed by the Hon. Court of Probate of the town of Newport, commissioners to receive and examine the claims against the estate of

HANSON HULL, (Grocer,) late of Newport, deceased represented insolvent, hereby give notice that six months from this date, are allowed the creditors of said estate to present and prove their claims, and that we will meet at the office of D. C. Denham, on the last Saturdays in July, August, and September next at 2 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of examining and deciding on the said claims.

D. C. DENHAM, } Comm'rs. E. T. ALLEN, } B. H. STEVENS, }

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to

ROBERT SHERMAN, 2d, Adm'r. April 2, 1849.

## BLEACHED &amp; UNBLEACHED

Cottons, LINEN TABLE COVERS,

WHITE LINENS,

As LOW as can be bought in this place, at JAMES H. HAMMETT'S.

A Rare opportunity. A beautiful Country Seat for sale on Rhode Island.

THE undersigned offers for sale her most well known residence in Middletown, situated on the Main road, one mile, from the state House in Newport. It contains about 30 acres of excellent land, and the best cultivation. The Mansion House, in perfect order, and most conveniently constructed, contains a stories, and is finished in modern style and in a very superior manner; there is also on the premises a suitable barn, crib, carriage house and other out buildings appropriate to the establishment, and suited to a gentleman's residence. The walls of the farm are in good order, and the orchard is supplied with a variety of valuable fruit trees. Many ornamental trees also surround the House. There is a beautiful garden on the estate, which is well arranged, furnishing every kind of flowers, shrub, &c. &c.

The House is located at a pleasant distance from the road, and commands one of the finest views of the Ocean, Pay, surrounding Islands and adjacent scenery, that can be found on Rhode Island. Being sufficiently near Newport for all convenient purposes, it is also quiet and retired. It offers a rare opportunity for those who are now visiting Newport, to purchase a very valuable residence. For further particulars, apply to the undersigned on the premises, or to AUGUSTUS BUSH, Broad street. LYDIA COLLINS. August 12, 1848.

## REMOVAL,

SIMON MOFFITT having removed his depot to SHERMAN STREET, about 8 rods South east from his former location, keeps constantly a variety of Window Frames & Sashes,—glazed and unglazed, Blinds and Shades,—of various sizes. He also manufactures Lock Sashes, of a superior kind, for strength and durability.

Having fitted up his shop in first rate order, he is able to turn out large or small JOBS, with neatness and dispatch, and on the most reasonable terms. All those in want of such work, are respectfully invited to call and see for themselves. N. B.—Building and Repairing particularly attended to. Newport, Oct. 1, 1848.—tf.

## Assignee's Notice

HORATIO N. CARDER, of East Greenwich, late of Newport, has this day, March 8, 1849, made an assignment to me, of all his estate and effects, especially his books, notes, and book debts, for the benefit of his creditors. All persons, therefore, having claims against said Carder will present them to me, the subscriber, at my office on Prospect Hill Street, or to CHARLES C. STEVENS, Rhode Island Union Bank, and those indebted to him will make payment to me. JAMES STEVENS, Assignee. Newport, March 17, 1849.—tf.

## GLASS! GLASS!!

5 HUNDRED Boxes of French and American window and picture GLASS, double and single thickness sizes from 6 by 8 to 18 by 24 inches. It being the greatest selection and quantity ever introduced in this town, is now offered for sale at 20 per cent less than any other store in town, by the box or single panes. ALSO, all kinds of PAINTS, OIL, POT ASHES, &c. usually kept in a Paint store, at No. 29 Spring street. E. J. READ. Newport, March 31, 1849.—1y.

## Corbett's Unrivalled

—COMPOUND SYRUP OF—

SARSAPARILLA.

THE subscribers having purchased of Dr. Corbett, of Shaker Village, Canterbury, N. H. the exclusive right for the sale of this invaluable preparation, now offer the same to the public under the amplest testimonials as to its signal and efficacious qualities. It stands unrivalled in cases of most inveterate cases of Scrofula, and all diseases of the Blood. It also by its powerful alternative qualities, securely and permanently effects a full restoration of health in cases of Chronic Inflammation of the Digestive Organs, Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Jaundice, Weakness and Soreness of the Stomach, Salt Rheum, all Cutaneous Eruptions, Erysipelas, &c. &c.

The fact is well established by medical writers, that Phthisis, Pulmonitis or Consumption, a disease most fatal in this country, most generally originates in a scrofulous state of the system. Diseases of the Liver and Affections of the Biliary Secretions often originate with persons of Scrofulous taint. But before such diseases can be mitigated or arrested, this Scrofulous Diathesis must be removed. This the present preparation is warranted effectually to do. The formula was laid before the New Hampshire Medical Society, and was there approved. And the celebrated Dr. Twitchell, of Keene, N. H., who has personally tested its virtues, and approves and prescribes this medicine in his general practice, pronounces it.

## THE BEST PREPARATION OF SARSAPARILLA EVER KNOWN.

It is not the design or purpose of the Originator or the Proprietors of this medicine to attempt to bring it into notice or repute by publishing accounts of extraordinary cures it has effected, or the great relief and benefit which hundreds and thousands have realized from its use. Well it is known that the public are satisfied with flaming advertisements, and extravagant and even false statements of the wonderful effects of certain medicinal preparations. But the proprietors rely upon the

## MERITS OF THIS MEDICINE ALONE

to bring it into general use. The Compound Syrup of Sarsaparilla, as prepared by Dr. Corbett, of the Shaker Society, Canterbury, N. H., the committee have carefully examined. It is commended by the names of the most distinguished physicians in the country; and from a knowledge of its component parts, the committee cannot but express their full belief in its efficacious qualities. The ingredients entering into its composition are of such a highly useful and alternative quality, that the committee willingly pronounce it the best preparation of Sarsaparilla Syrup yet known; and as such, think it deserving of a Diploma. (Signed by) JOHN W. WEBSTER, M. D., Professor of Chemistry in Harvard College. MARTIN GAY, M. D., Chemist, Boston.

Its virtues have been tested through a process of years in every form of Scrofulous Affections, and it is designed as a permanent, substantial and Standard Medicine, and may always be depended upon by the Medical Faculty and all others, to be just what it purports to be. The form of this preparation, its component parts, &c., have been placed with the most distinguished physicians of the country, among whom, in Boston, are

Dr. J. C. Warren, Dr. J. M. Warren, Dr. Geo. Hayward, Dr. Edward Reynolds, Jr., Dr. John Jeffries, Dr. J. V. C. Smith, Dr. Abner of the Orthopedic Institute, and others, several of whom have given their names as writers in favor of this medicine. And others.

Under a full conviction of the virtues of this medicine, without accumulating facts as to the same, the Proprietors, with all confidence, now place it before the public as a preparation not equalled by any ever yet discovered.

For sale by the Proprietors in any quantity. EDWARD BRINLEY & CO., No. 3 and 4, South side Faneuil Hall, Boston, and their authorized Agents. Sole Agent for Newport, R. R. HAZARD.

## HOUSE TO LET.

THE VERY PLEASANT and convenient House and garden, next south of the subscribers residence, now occupied by Lieut Stephen Cor. 2d. For terms apply to STEPHEN T. NORTHAM. Newport, March 21.—tf.

## Marine and Fire Insurance.

THE American Insurance Company, Transatlantic, R. I., combine to insure against FIRE & MARINE BY FIRE, on Cotton, Woolen and other Manufactures, Buildings, etc. Marine loss and also against MARINE RISKS on favorable terms. The capital stock

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Persons wishing for Insurance are requested to direct their applications, (which should be accompanied with a particular description of the property,) per mail, to the President or Secretary of the Company, and the same will see with prompt attention. Applications for Insurance may be made in Newport to GEORGE BOWEN, Agent. ALLEN O. PECK, President. WALKER HUMPHREY, Secretary. American Insurance Co.'s Office, June 9, 1847.

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friends and patrons and the public generally, with new BOOTS, SHOES & GAITERS, of every kind and quality. Having now on hand the largest stock of Boots and Shoes ever brought to Newport,—most of which were manufactured expressly for my trade, from the very best of material, therefore I can warrant every article